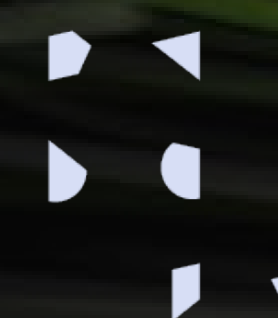




Towards robust AI in healthcare without jeopardizing patient privacy

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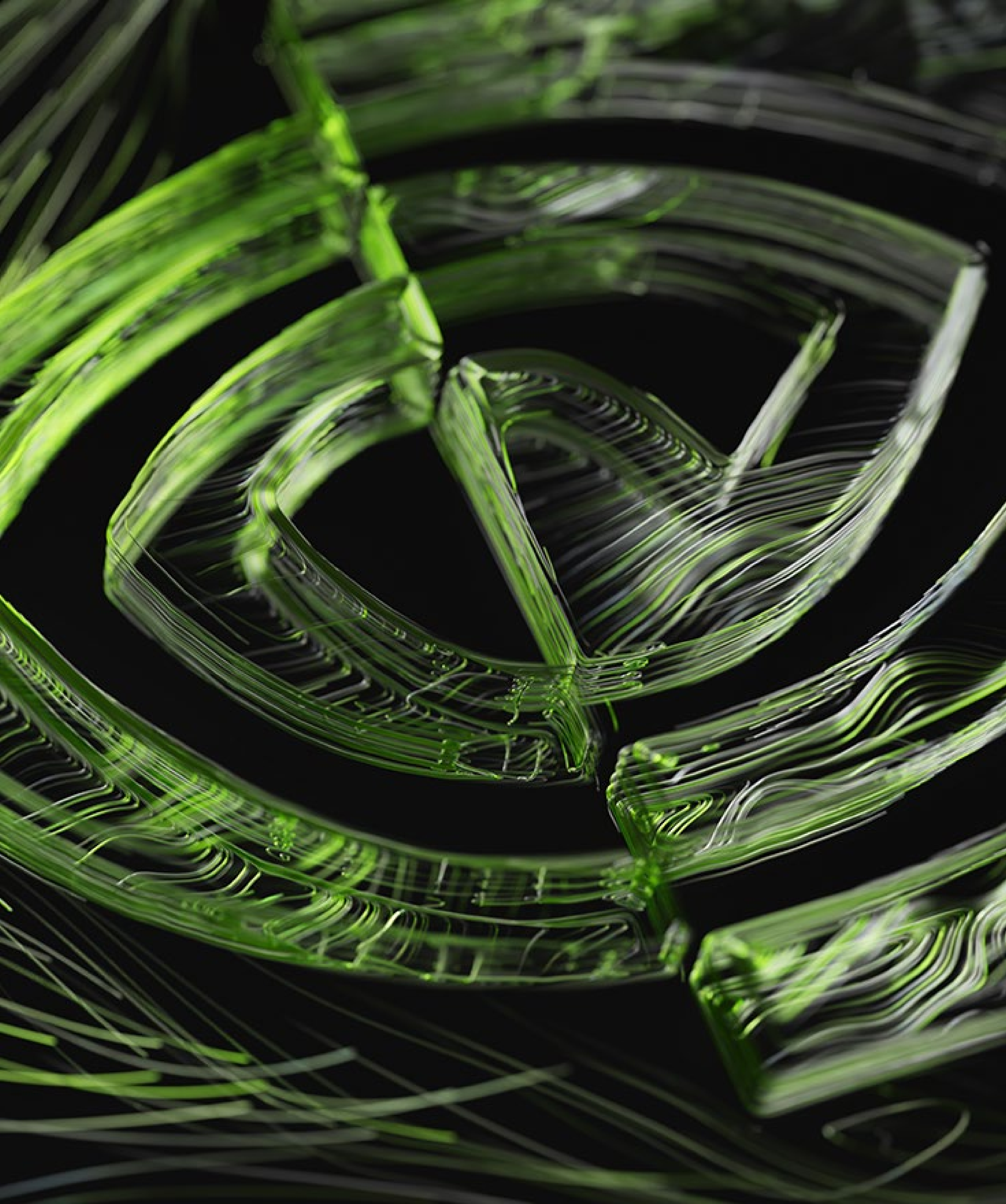
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Into whatsoever houses I enter, I will enter to help the sick, and I will abstain from all intentional wrong-doing and harm. [...]

And whatsoever I shall see or hear in the course of my profession, [...] I will never divulge, **holding such things to be holy secrets.**

The Hippocratic Oath, 400 BC

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Sharing is Caring:
No Learning Without Data

Federated Learning:
Learning Without Sharing Data

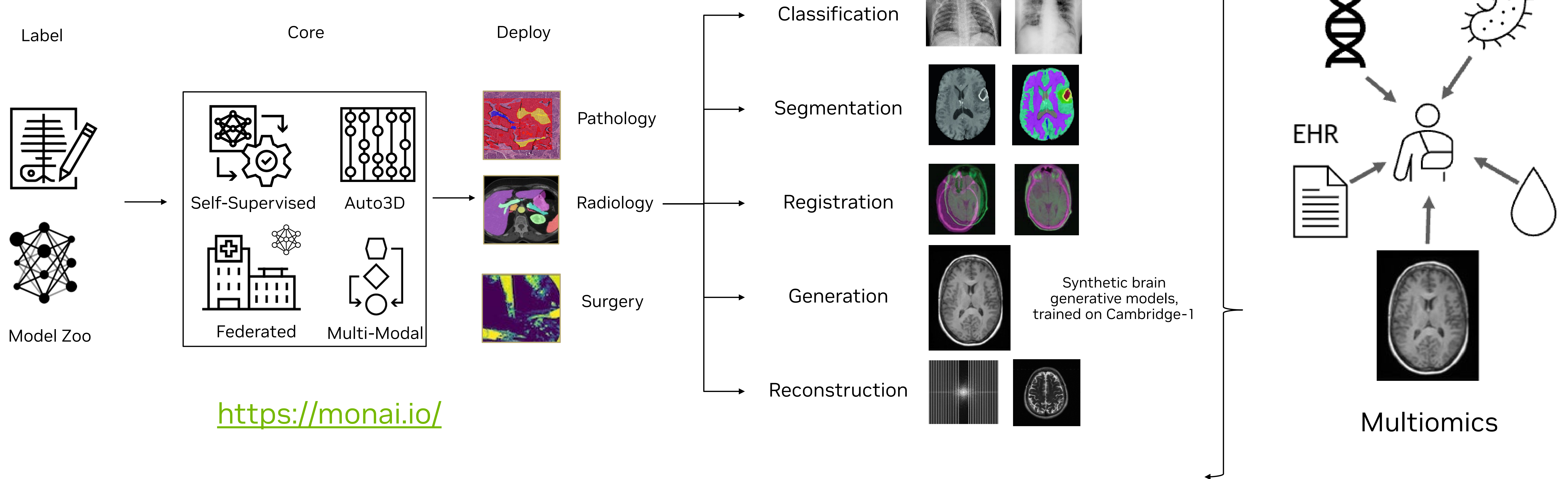
Data Generation:
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Feeding the beast: Modern ML/DL is data-hungry!

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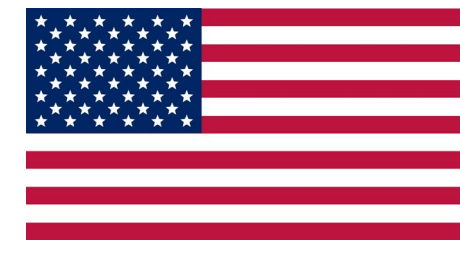


<https://monai.io/>



HIPAA and GDPR

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HIPAA

(Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act)

- Since 1997: healthcare providers and insurers must ensure non-disclosure of patients' healthcare information
- Sharing EHRs requires de-identification, in two ways:
 - 1) By obtaining expert certification on de-identification,
 - 2) "Safe Harbor" approach, i.e. removal of 18 different types of patient-identifying information including names, ages, addresses, email addresses, URLs, dates of service, and lots of numbers: Social Security numbers, telephone numbers, insurance IDs, and medical records identifiers
- **Once under "Safe Harbor", data is free for sharing/buying/selling by commercial parties**

<https://hai.stanford.edu/news/de-identifying-medical-patient-data-doesnt-protect-our-privacy>



GDPR

(General Data Protection Regulation)

- Basic GDPR Definitions
 - Personal data: identifiable patient information
 - Pseudonymous data: data not attributable to a specific data subject, without the use of additional information
 - Anonymous data: no connection to a specific identifiable person, not even through linking to other datasets
- Both directly identifiable and pseudonymized data used by researchers should be treated as personal data
- **Processing of personal (incl pseudonymous!) data is forbidden except for patient consent (no opt-out allowed)**
- Fear of legal/social sanctions and huge penalties for violating GDPR: scientists have become reluctant to exchange data and bio-samples for secondary research
 - Hinders swift and safe data exchange in emergencies (Zika, Ebola, Covid-19)

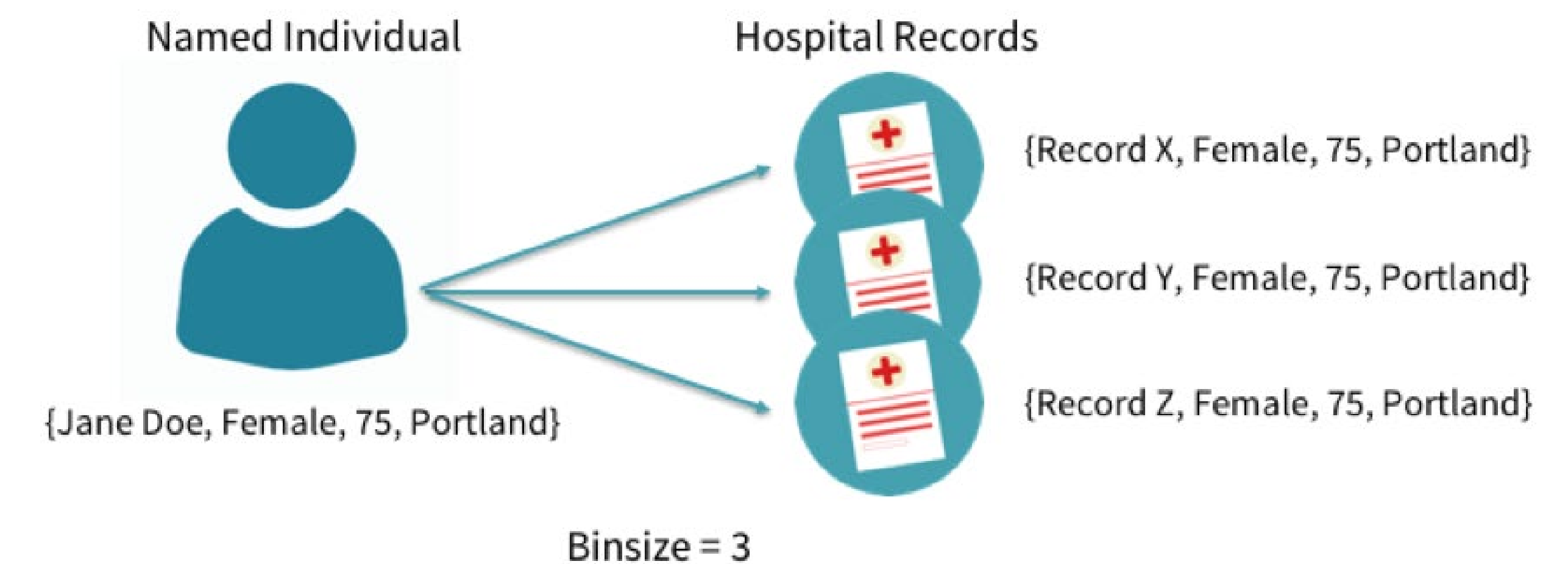
Vlahou, A., Hallinan, D., Apweiler, et al. (2021).
Data Sharing Under the General Data Protection Regulation.
In Hypertension (Vol. 77, Issue 4, pp. 1029–1035)
<https://doi.org/10.1161/hypertensionaha.120.16340>

Example: Patient Re-Identification from EHR Data

Cross-linking EHR data to newspaper articles

- Combining anonymized data with sparse public knowledge (e.g. public likes/tweets/shares/comments, telephone/address books)
- Very little background data is needed to de-anonymize records:
 - “We used newspaper data to match names to anonymized patient records in statewide hospital data from Maine and Vermont”
 - “When redacted to the HIPAA Safe Harbor standard, the **Maine data allowed for a 3.2 percent re-identification rate** and **Vermont data allowed for a 10.6 percent re-identification rate.**”

Maine	NewsData	HospitalData
Demographics	Name	--
	19-year-old	Age: 19
	Female	Gender: F
	Bangor, Maine	Geocode: 19020
Hospital Information	York Hospital	HP: 200020
E-code	“hit by a car while crossing highway”	E8187 Other noncollision motor vehicle traffic accident injuring pedestrian
Diagnoses	“two broken bones in right leg, bruises to arms, legs, suffered head injuries”	87344 Open wound of jaw, without mention of complication
		82380 Closed fracture of unspecified part of tibia alone
		8249 Unspecified fracture of ankle, open
		88101 Open wound of elbow, without mention of complication
Sensitive information unrelated to hospitalization included in HospitalData		311 Depressive disorder
		30981 Posttraumatic stress disorder
		30000 Anxiety state



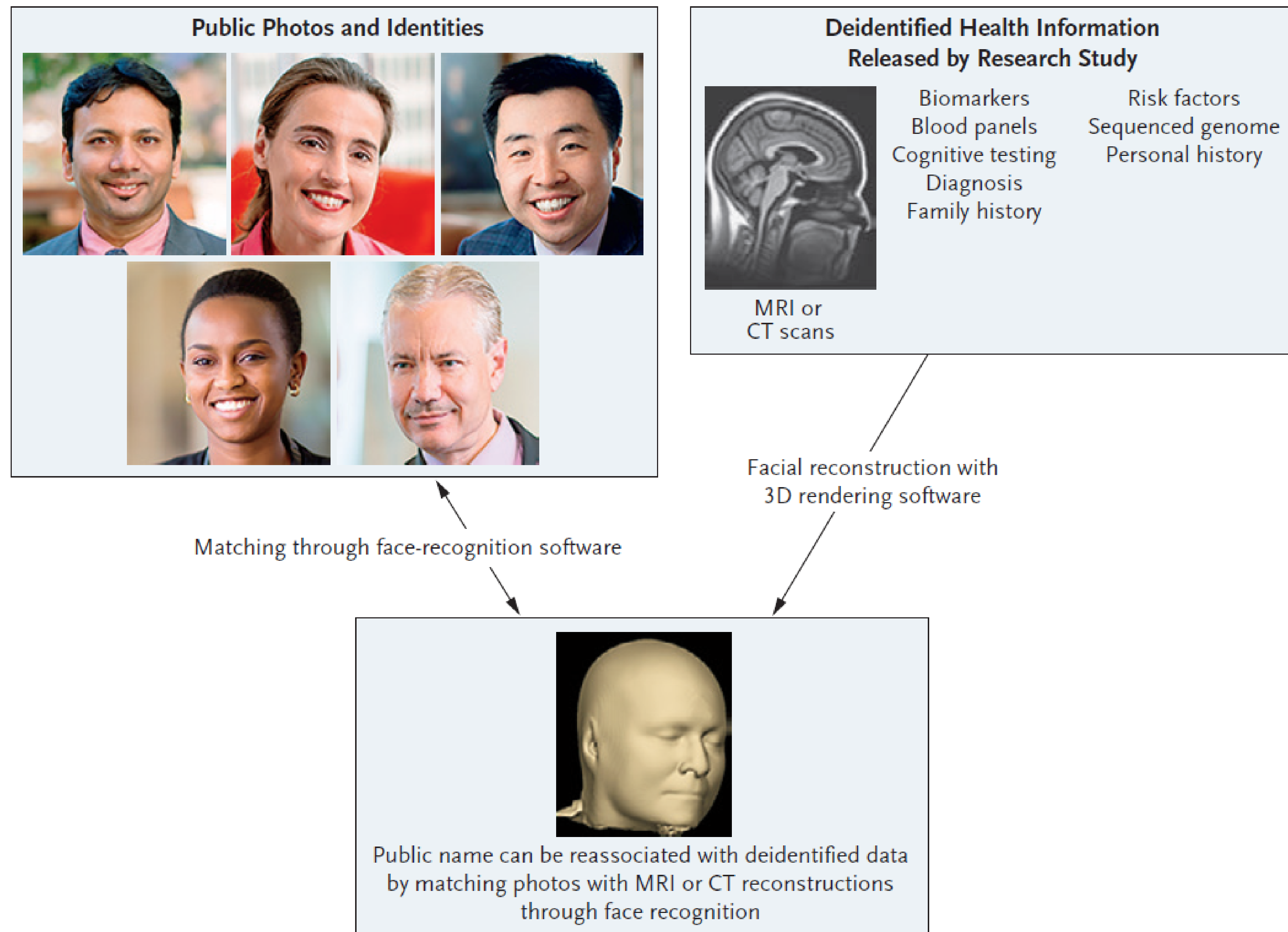
- Eman & Arbutcky propose a max. re-identification risk of < 0.5 or 0.3
- i.e. each record should be matched with at least two or three others.

Khaled El Emam and Luk Arbutcky. 2013. Anonymizing Health Data: Case Studies and Methods to Get You Started (1st. ed.). O'Reilly Media, Inc.

Example: Patient Re-Identification from Medical Images

Facial Recognition by combining MRIs and Public Databases

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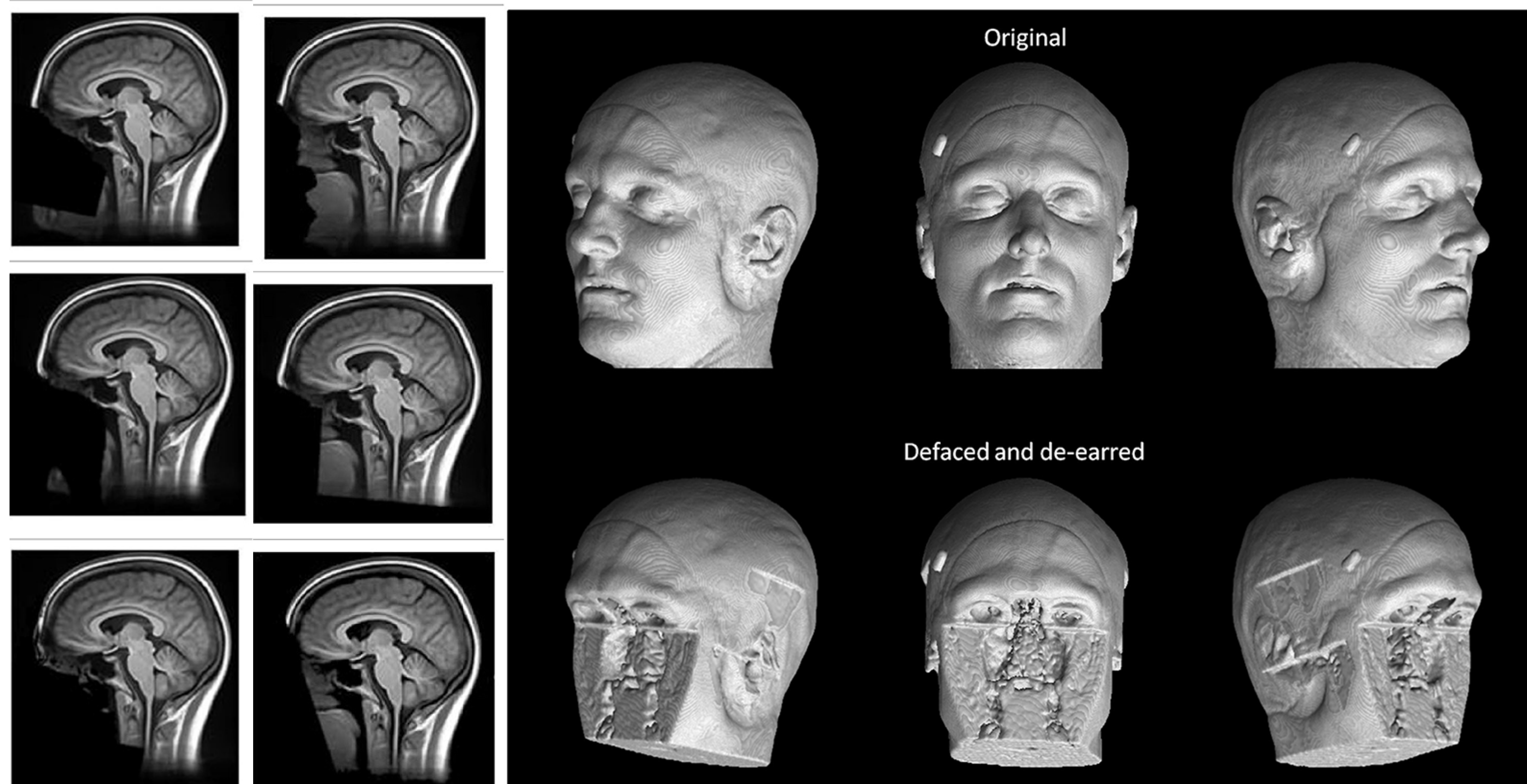
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Example: Advanced De- and Re-Identification

Facial Recognition: Is De-Facing enough?

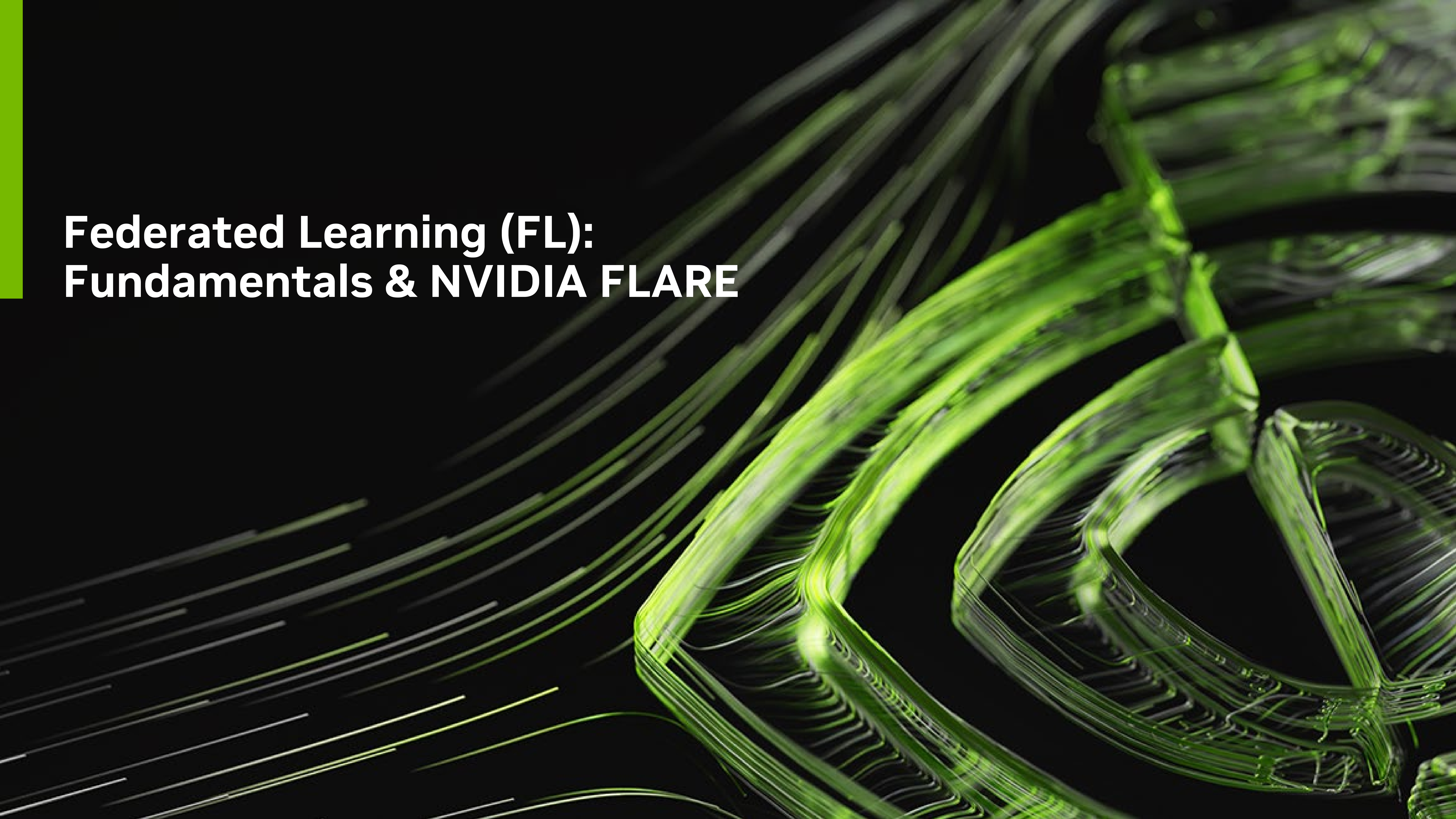
Various de-facing methods...



...vs Brainprint

“BrainPrint captures unique information about the subject’s anatomy and permits to correctly classify a scan with an accuracy of over 99.8%”



The background features a dark, almost black, space filled with numerous thin, glowing green lines that create a sense of motion and depth. On the right side, there is a prominent, glowing green grid or mesh structure that appears to be composed of many overlapping, slightly offset planes, giving it a three-dimensional, crystalline appearance. The overall aesthetic is futuristic and technological.

Federated Learning (FL): Fundamentals & NVIDIA FLARE

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FL enables gaining insights collaboratively, e.g., in the form of a consensus model, without moving patient data beyond the firewalls of the institutions in which they reside.

Rieke et al., Nature Dig. Med., 2020
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Building ai for real-world clinical performance

Taking Algorithms Beyond Proof-of-Concept

REAL-WORLD AI DESIGN

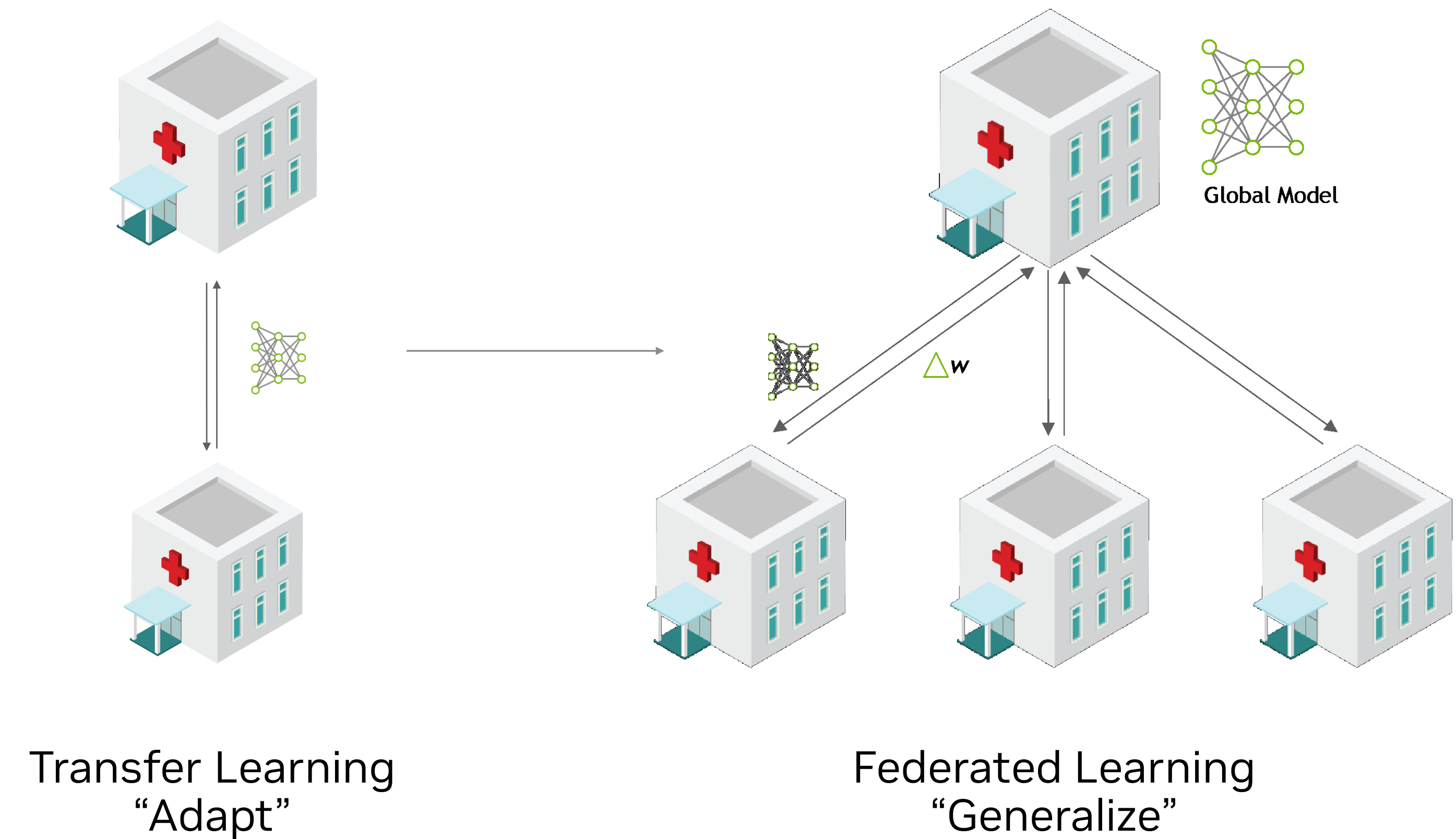
External Validation, Multiple Institutions, Prospective Data

Design Characteristic	All Articles (n = 516)	Articles Published in Medical Journals (n = 437)
External validation		
Used	31 (6.0)	27 (6.2)
Not used	485 (94.0)	410 (93.8)
In studies that used external validation		
Diagnostic cohort design	5 (1.0)	5 (1.1)
Data from multiple institutions	15 (2.9)	12 (2.7)
Prospective data collection	4 (0.8)	4 (0.9)
Fulfillment of all of above three criteria	0 (0)	0 (0)
Fulfillment of at least two criteria	3 (0.6)	3 (0.7)
Fulfillment of at least one criterion	21 (4.1)	18 (4.1)

Only 6% of published AI studies have external validation
Few included multiple institutions

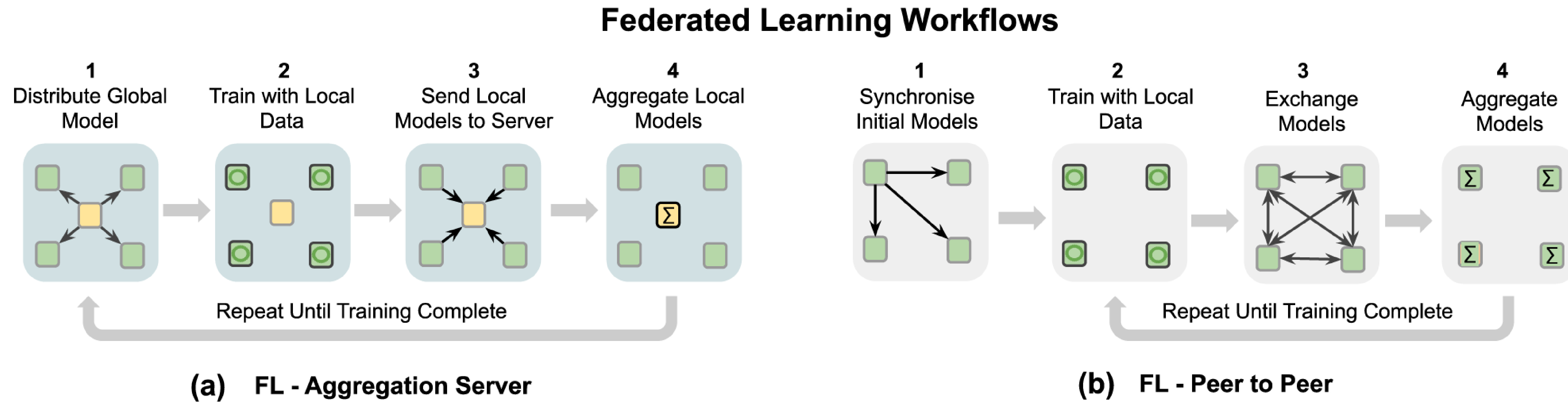
FEDERATED LEARNING PARADIGM

Model to Data | Generalize Model

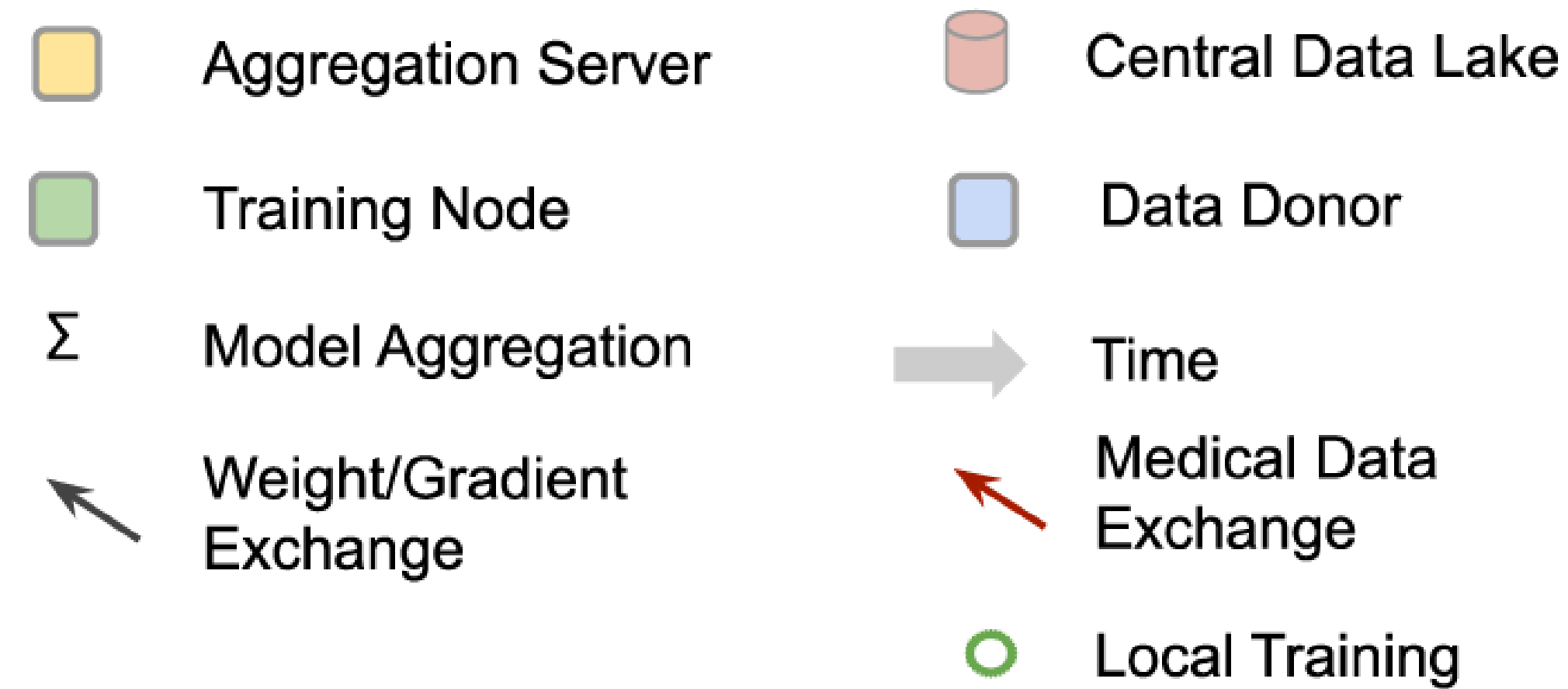


Federated Learning Workflows

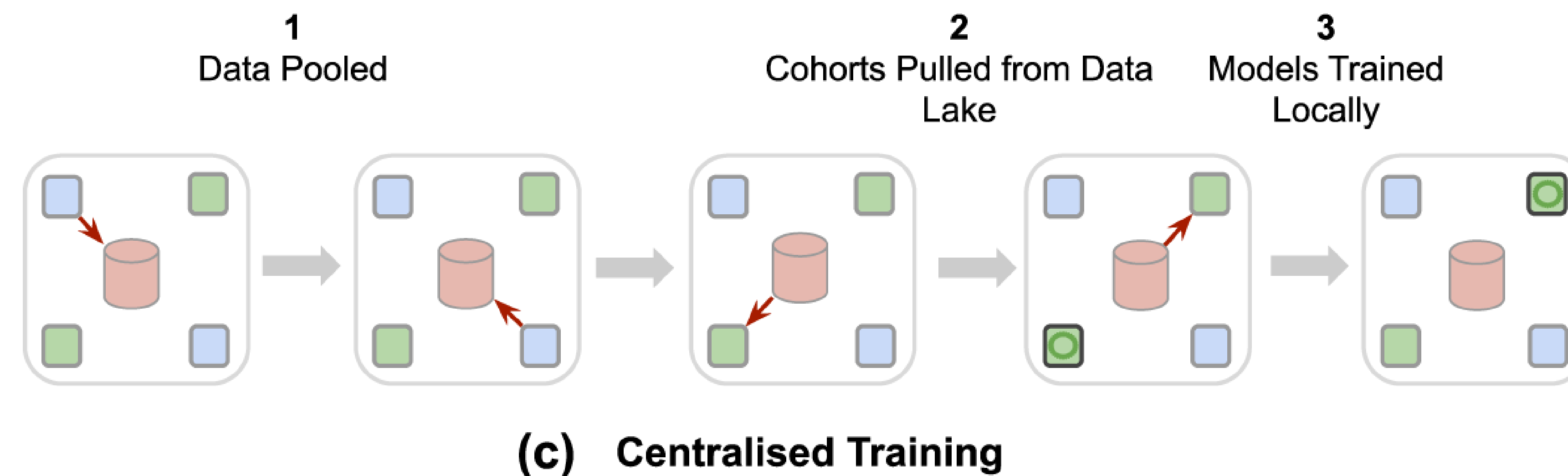
Difference to Learning on a Centralised Data Lake



Key



Centralised Data Lake



Federated learning MOMENTUM

Breaking Healthcare Data Siloes

EDRN Early Detection of Pancreatic Cancer

Low Delta PDAC High Delta PDAC

Abdominal CT Series → U-Net → Segmentation Map → Cinematic rendering

ERASMUS GENNET Genome Wide Association Study

Cohort 1 Cohort 2 ... Cohort N

- local dataset
- local cohort computational and storage facilities
- cohort facilities visible from outside using framework
- global neural network model
- communication between cohorts using framework

EXAM COVID-19 Oxygen Requirement Prediction

room air low-flow high-flow ventilator death

0 0.25 0.5 0.75 1.0

CORISK Score

Deep & Cross Network

CXR Features EHR Features

Pretrained ResNet-34 with Spatial Attention

CXR Image AP or PA Portable Chest X-ray

nature medicine ARTICLES
<https://doi.org/10.1038/s41591-021-01506-3>

Federated learning for predicting clinical outcomes in patients with COVID-19

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Federated learning (FL) is a method used for training artificial intelligence models with data from multiple sources while maintaining data anonymity, thus removing many barriers to data sharing. Here we used data from 20 institutes across the globe to train a FL model, called EXAM (electronic medical record (EMR) chest X-ray AI model), that predicts the future oxygen requirements of symptomatic patients with COVID-19 using inputs of vital signs, laboratory data and chest X-rays. EXAM achieved an average area under the curve (AUC) >0.92 for predicting outcomes at 24 and 72h from the time of initial presentation to the emergency room, and it provided 16% improvement in average AUC measured across all participating sites and an average increase in generalizability of 38% when compared with models trained at a single site using that site's data. For prediction of mechanical ventilation treatment or death at 24h at the largest independent test site, EXAM achieved a sensitivity of 0.950 and specificity of 0.882. In this study, FL facilitated rapid data science collaboration without data exchange and generated a model that generalized across heterogeneous, unharmonized datasets for prediction of clinical outcomes in patients with COVID-19, setting the stage for the broader use of FL in healthcare.

The scientific, academic, medical and data science communities have come together in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic crisis to rapidly assess novel paradigms in artificial intelligence (AI) that are rapid and secure, and potentially incentive data sharing and model training and testing without the usual privacy and data ownership hurdles of conventional collaborations^{1,2}. Healthcare providers, researchers and industry have pivoted their focus to address unmet and critical clinical needs created by the crisis, with remarkable results³⁻⁵. Clinical trial recruitment has been expedited and facilitated by national regulatory bodies and an international cooperative spirit⁶⁻⁷. The data analytics and AI disciplines have always fostered open

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U MINNESOTA, FAIRVIEW X-RAY Covid-19 Classification

Segmentation Module: DICOM dataset → preprocessing → 512x512 PNG → U-Net → 224x224 PNG

Outlier detection Module: Covid negative / Covid positive → Conditional GAN → Xray images / outliers

Classification Module: Clean and segmented inputs → DenseNet 121 → Features → one fully connected layer → Weighted loss

MELLODDY Multi-task Learning Chemical Assays

PHARMA PARTNERS: AMGEN, AstraZeneca, Boehringer Ingelheim, gsk, janssen, MERCK, NOVARTIS, SERVIER

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NVIDIA Federated Learning

Applications across industries

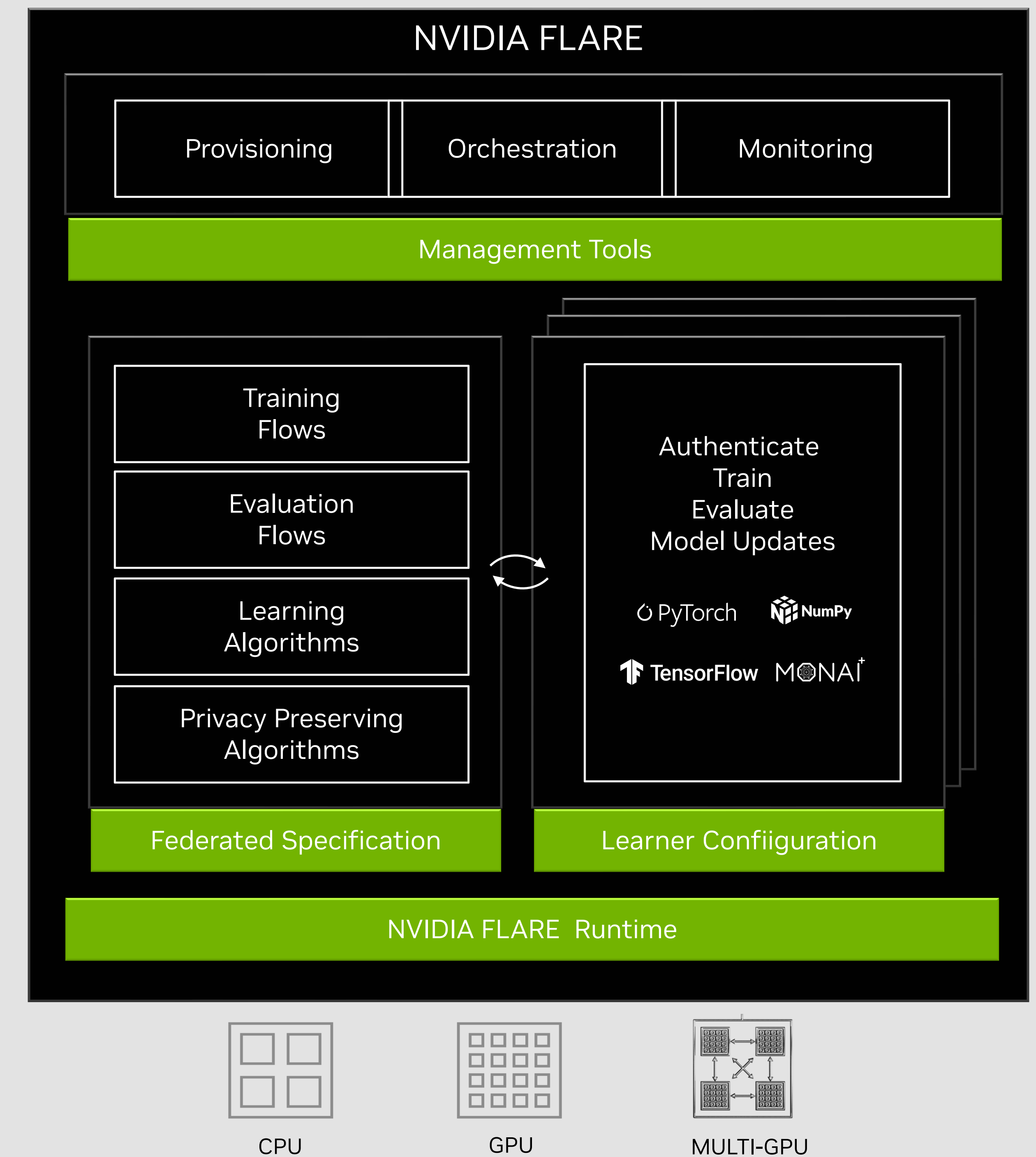


Nvidia FLARE

Open-Source SDK for Federated Learning

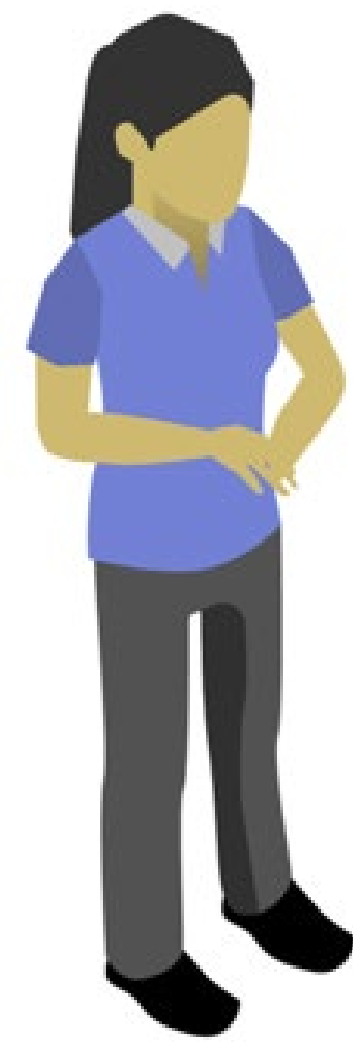
- Apache License 2.0 to catalyze FL research & development
- Enables Distributed, Multi-Party Collaborative Learning
- Adapt existing ML/DL workflows to a Federated paradigm
- Privacy Preserving Algorithms
 - Homomorphic Encryption & Differential Privacy
- Secure Provisioning, Orchestration & Monitoring
- Programmable APIs for Extensibility

Available on Github: <https://github.com/nvidia/nvFlare>



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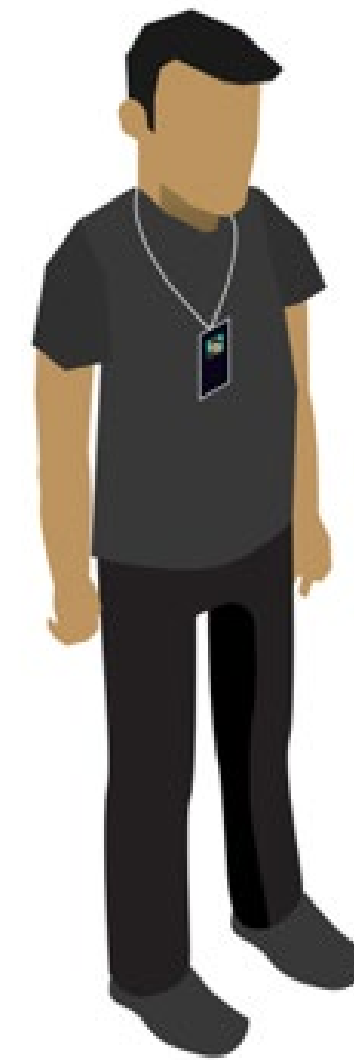
FL RESEARCHERS



Enables ease of getting started with FL experiments execution & evaluation in real world.

Extensible APIs for ease of creating custom implementations for new federated workflows, learning & privacy preserving algorithms.

DATA SCIENTISTS



Extend existing DL/ML workflows with a Federated paradigm and explore potential of Federated learning.

Ready to use FL specification and management tools enabling seamless execution.

PLATFORM DEVELOPERS



A robust, extensible foundation to customize a platform offering for end users.

Built-in implementations of Federated learning spec & Aux APIs to build custom offerings.

NVIDIA FLARE KEY CAPABILITIES

Runtime-ready and extensible suite of features

Privacy-Preserving Algorithms

NVIDIA FLARE provides privacy-preserving algorithms that ensure each change to the global model stays hidden and prevent the server from reverse-engineering the submitted weights and discovering any training data.

Training and Evaluation Workflows

Built-in workflow paradigms use local and decentralized data to keep models relevant at the edge, including learning algorithms for FedAvg, FedOpt, and FedProx.

Extensible Management Tools

Management tools help secure provisioning using SSL certifications, orchestration through an admin console, and monitoring of federated learning experiments using TensorBoard for visualization.

Supports Popular ML/DL Frameworks

Flexible in design, the SDK can be used with PyTorch, Tensorflow, and even Numpy, which allows for integrating federated learning into your current workflow.

Extensive API

Its extensive and open-source API enables researchers to develop new federated workflow strategies, innovative learning, and privacy-preserving algorithms.

Reusable Building Blocks

NVIDIA FLARE provides an easy way to perform federated learning experiments by utilizing the reusable building blocks and example walkthroughs.

<https://developer.nvidia.com/flare>

FLARE 2.1: Built for Scalability

High-Availability & Multi-Task Execution

- High availability (HA) supports multiple FL servers and automatically activates a backup server when the currently active server becomes unavailable.
- This is managed by a new entity in the federation, the overseer, that's responsible for monitoring the state of all participants and orchestrating the cutover to a backup server when needed.
- Multi-job execution supports resource-based multi-job execution by allowing for concurrent runs, provided that the resources required by the jobs are satisfied

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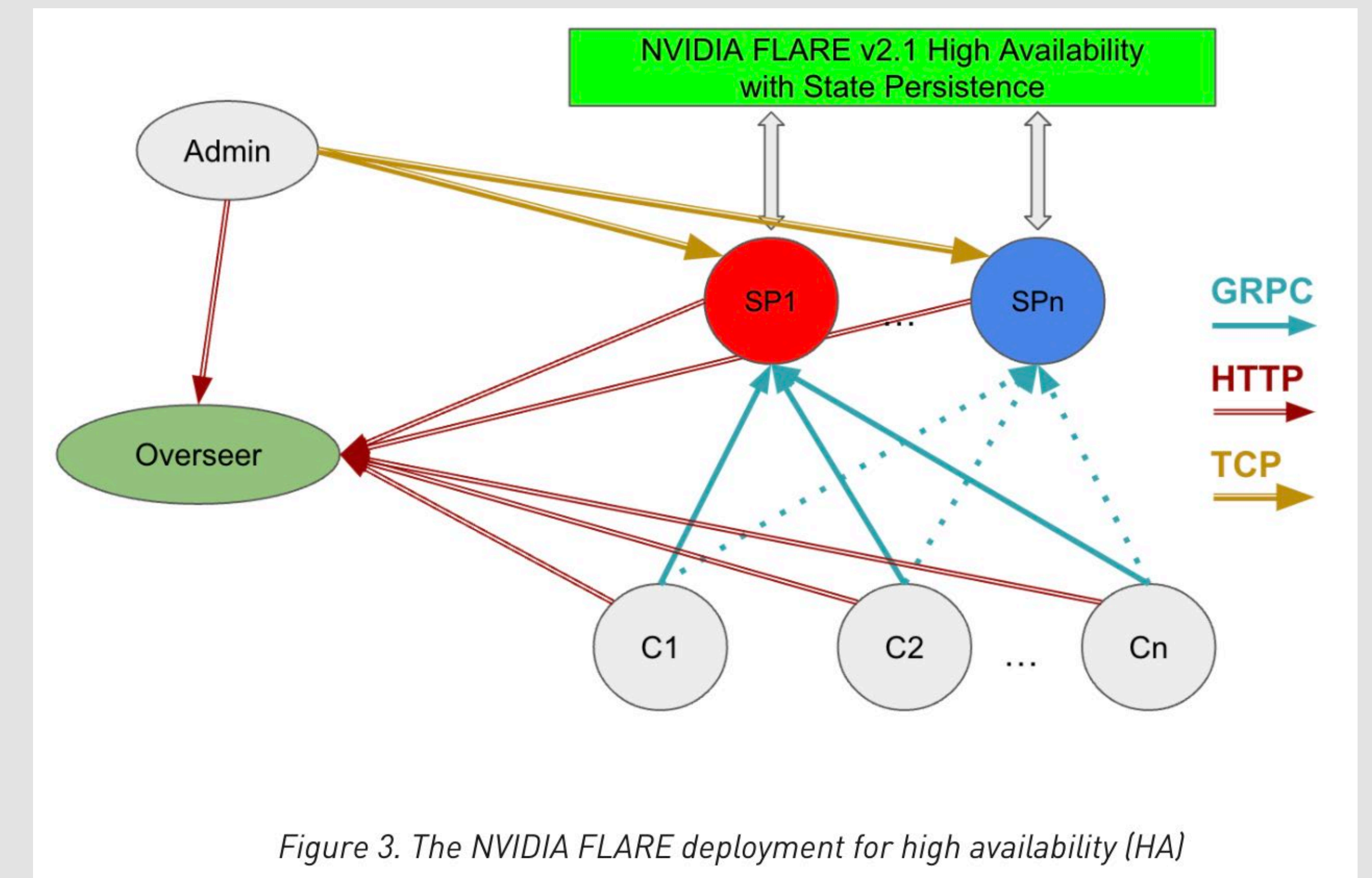


Figure 3. The NVIDIA FLARE deployment for high availability (HA)

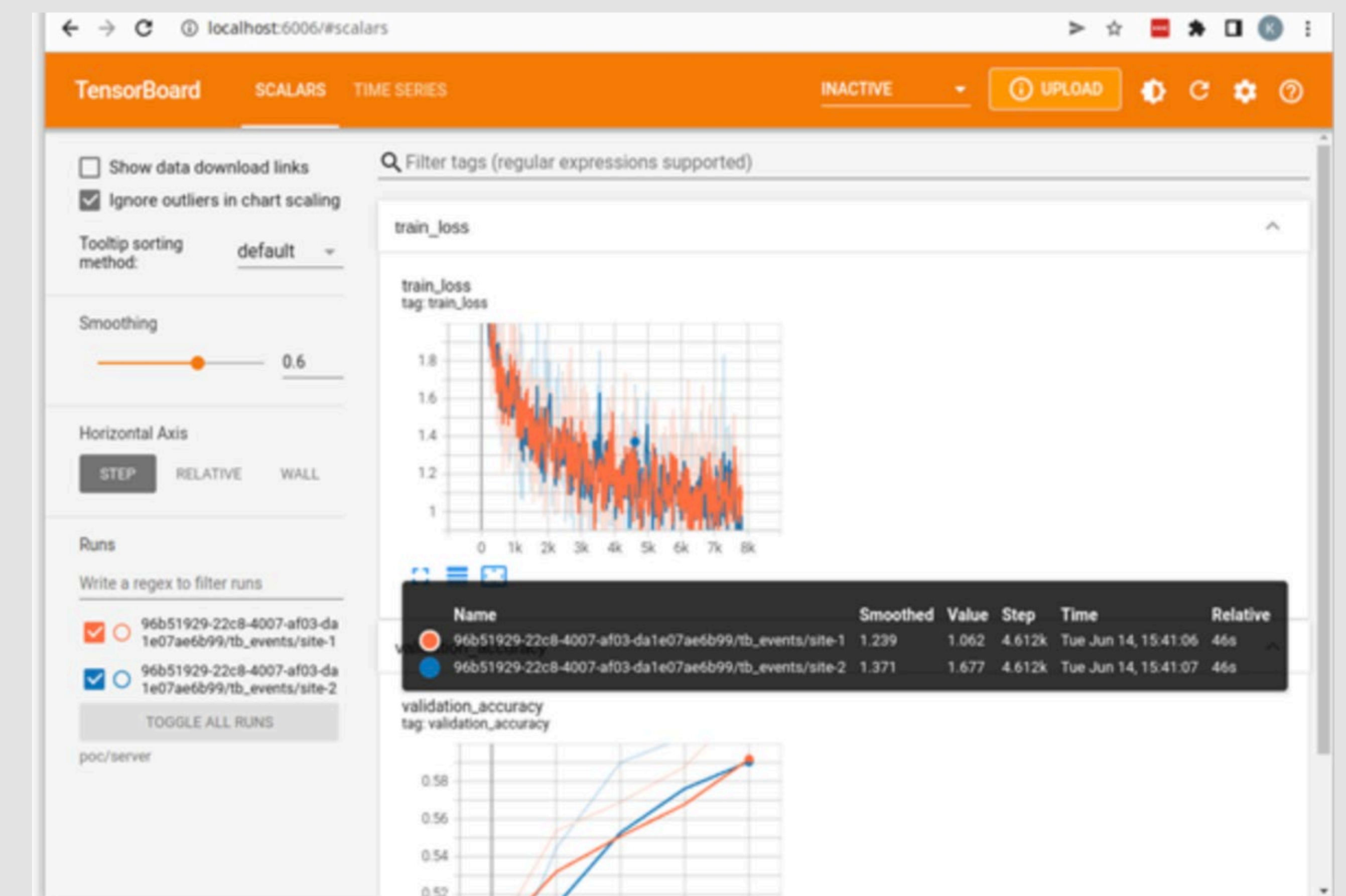


Figure 2. Example TensorBoard output from the hello-pt-tb application

Security & Privacy

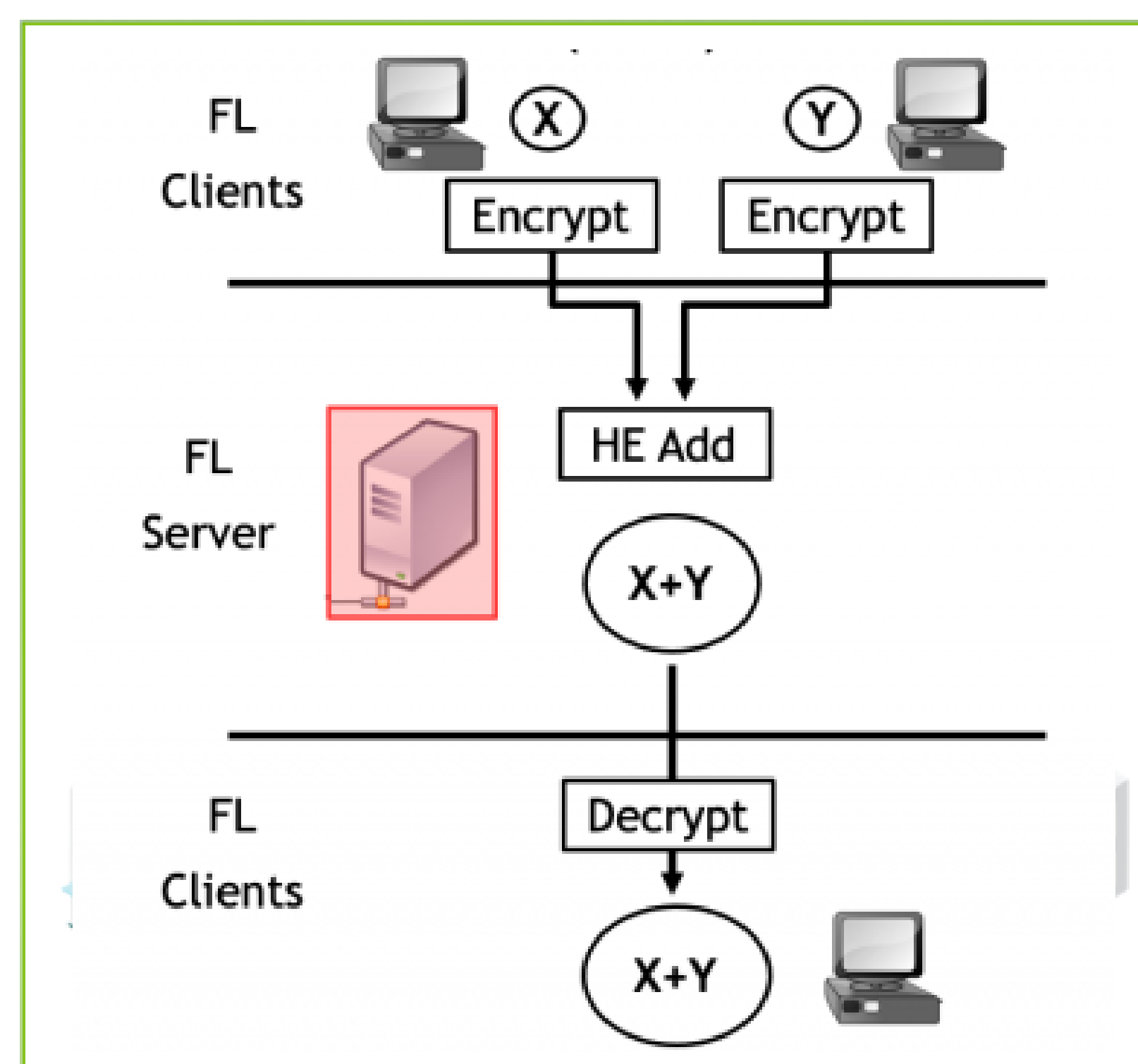
Homomorphic Encryption & Differential Privacy

Federated Learning with Homomorphic Encryption

What if I don't trust the server?

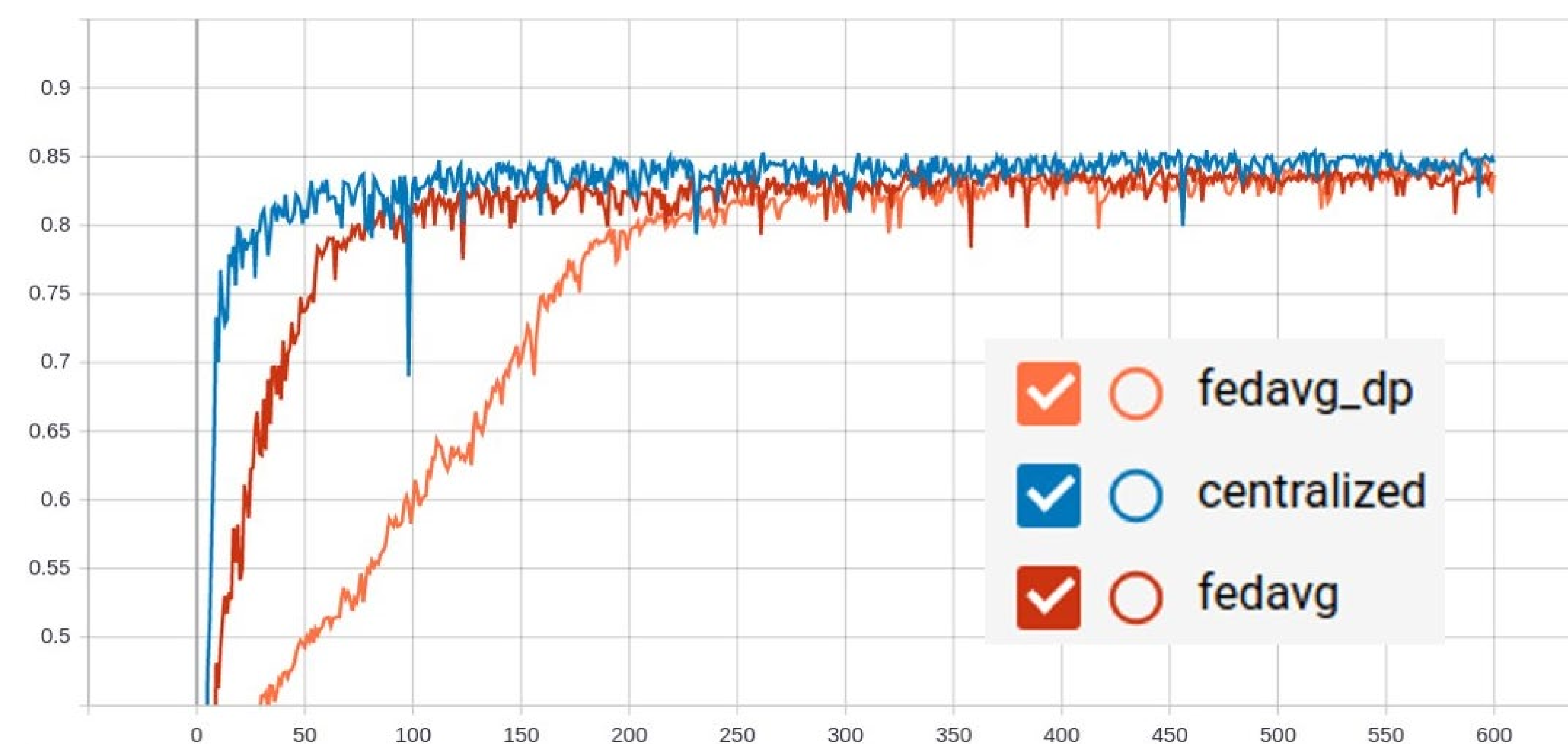
Homomorphic encryption (HE)

A form of encryption that permits users to perform computations on encrypted data



Differential Privacy for BraTS18 Segmentation

validation Dice scores of the global model for 600 training epochs:



Blog: <https://developer.nvidia.com/blog/federated-learning-with-homomorphic-encryption/>

Example: <https://github.com/NVIDIA/NVFlare/tree/main/examples/cifar10>

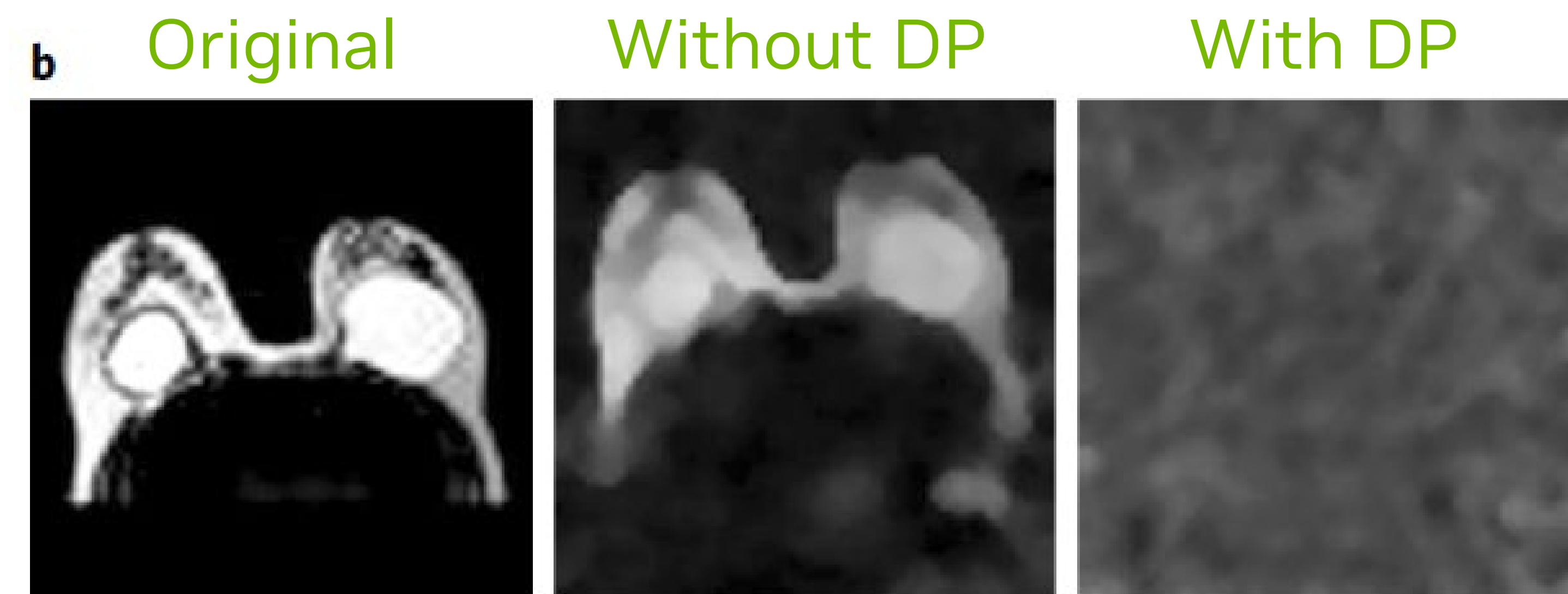
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Why differential privacy?

Counter-acting gradient-based privacy attacks

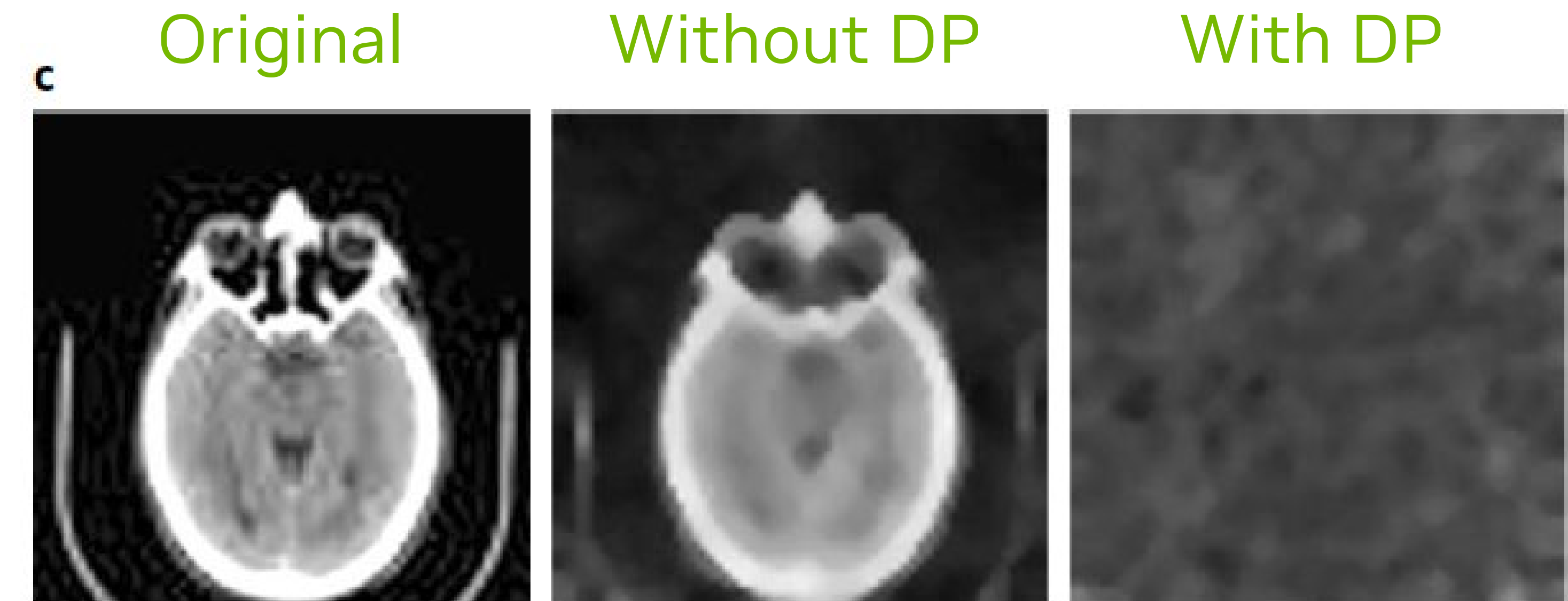


“Breast MRI revealing absence of the right breast, likely due to operative removal due to breast cancer”

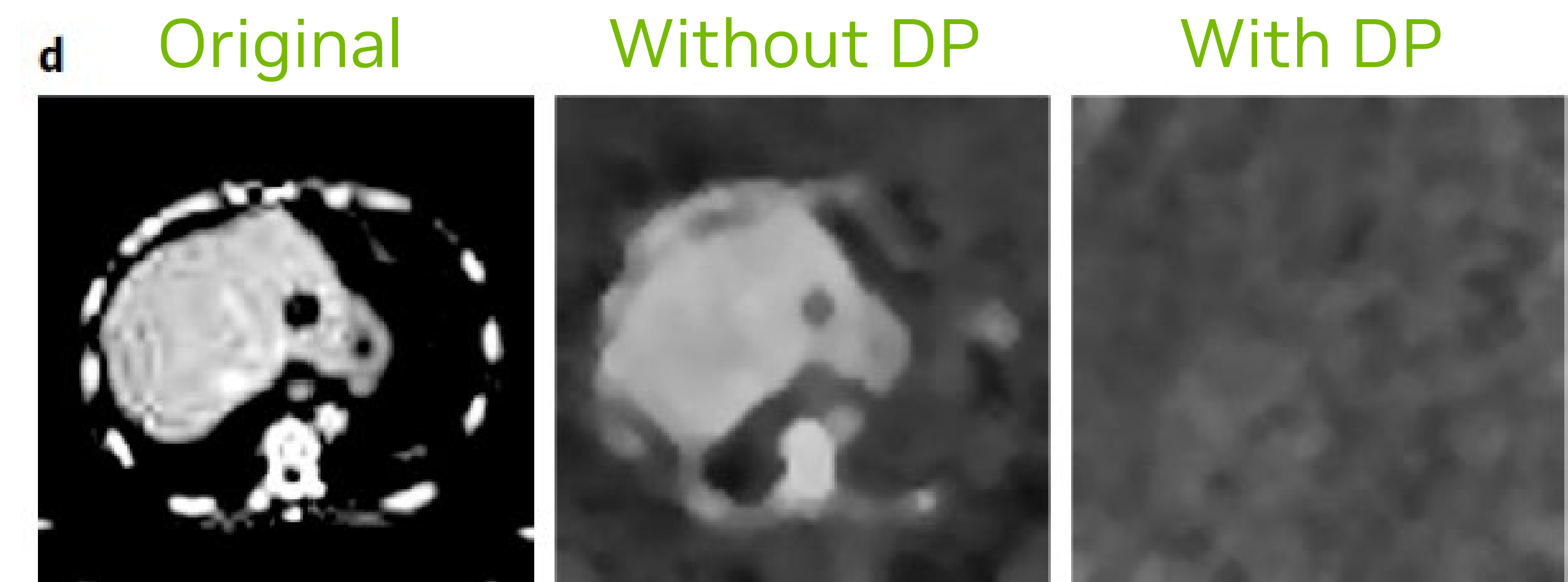


“Breast MRI revealing breast implants.”

“Both a and b also allow assumptions about the patient’s sex!”



“Cranial computed tomography image at the level of the nose: potential for facial detection.”



“Abdominal CT at the level of the liver, allowing visualization of a hypodense lesion in the left liver lobe in the reconstructed Image.”

End-to-end examples (CIFAR10, BRATS18, PROSTATE)

- Comprehensive example for researchers to compare algorithms

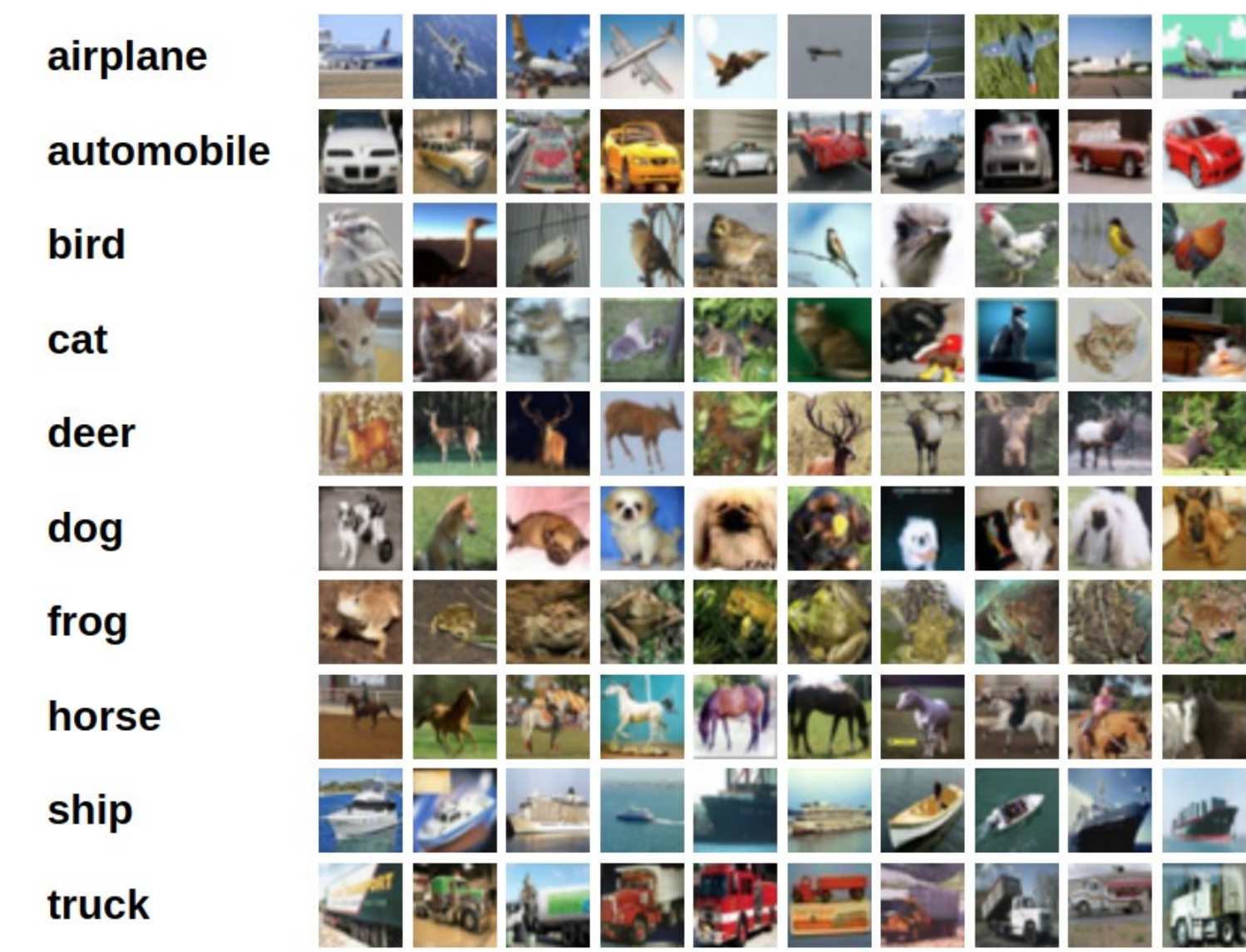
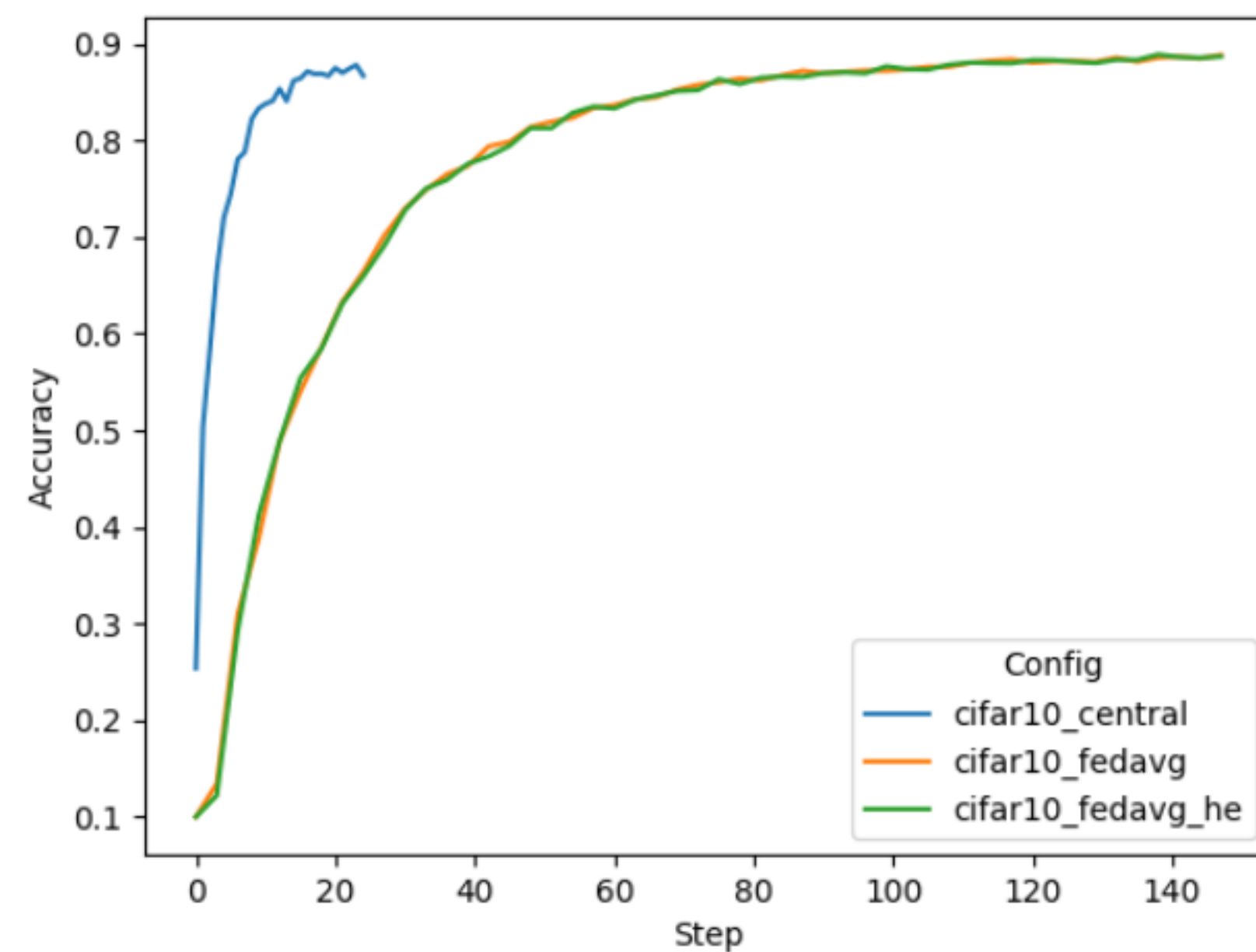
- Set up a virtual environment
- Create your FL workspace
- Run automated experiments
 - Varying data heterogeneity of data splits
 - Centralized training
 - FedAvg on different data splits
 - Advanced FL algorithms (FedProx and FedOpt)
 - Secure aggregation using homomorphic encryption
 - Differential privacy

4. Results

4.1 Central vs. FedAvg

With a data split using $\alpha=1.0$, i.e. a non-heterogeneous split, we achieve the following performance similar to central training and that HE does not impact the per aggregation step.

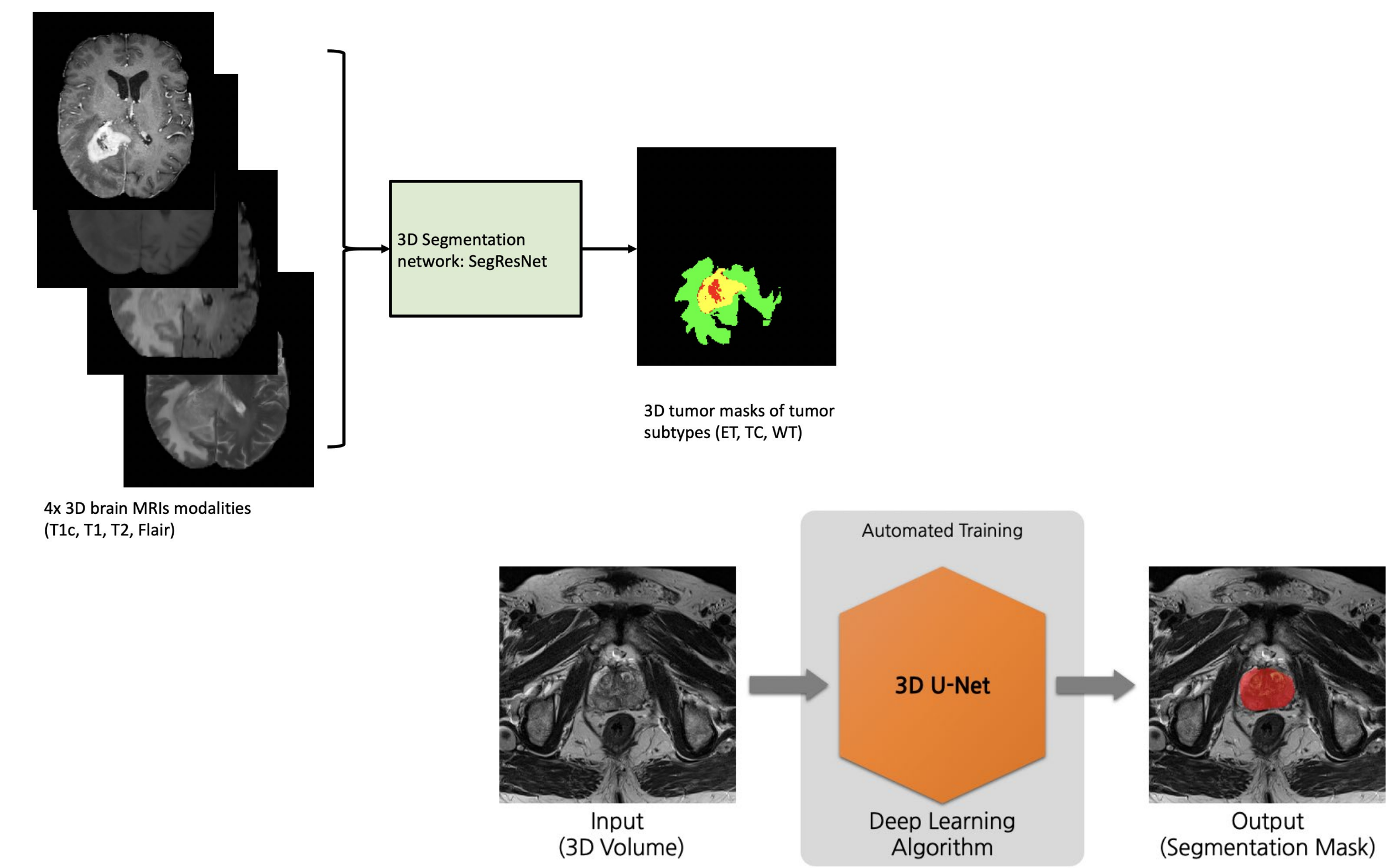
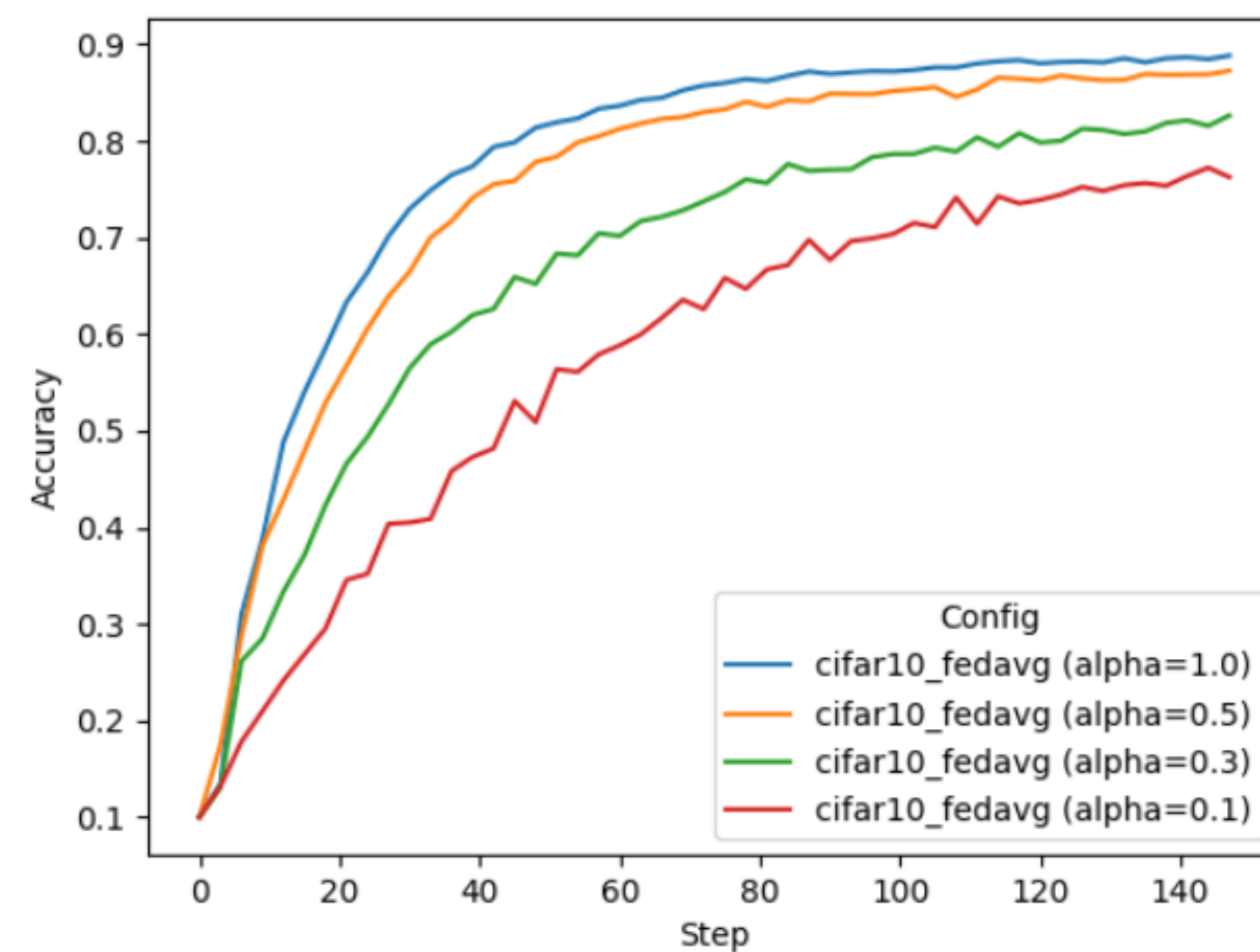
Config	Alpha	Val score
cifar10_central	1.0	0.8668
cifar10_fedavg	1.0	0.8840
cifar10_fedavg_he	1.0	0.8868



4.2 Impact of client data heterogeneity

We also tried different α values, where lower values cause higher heterogeneity. This shows the performance of FedAvg algorithms.

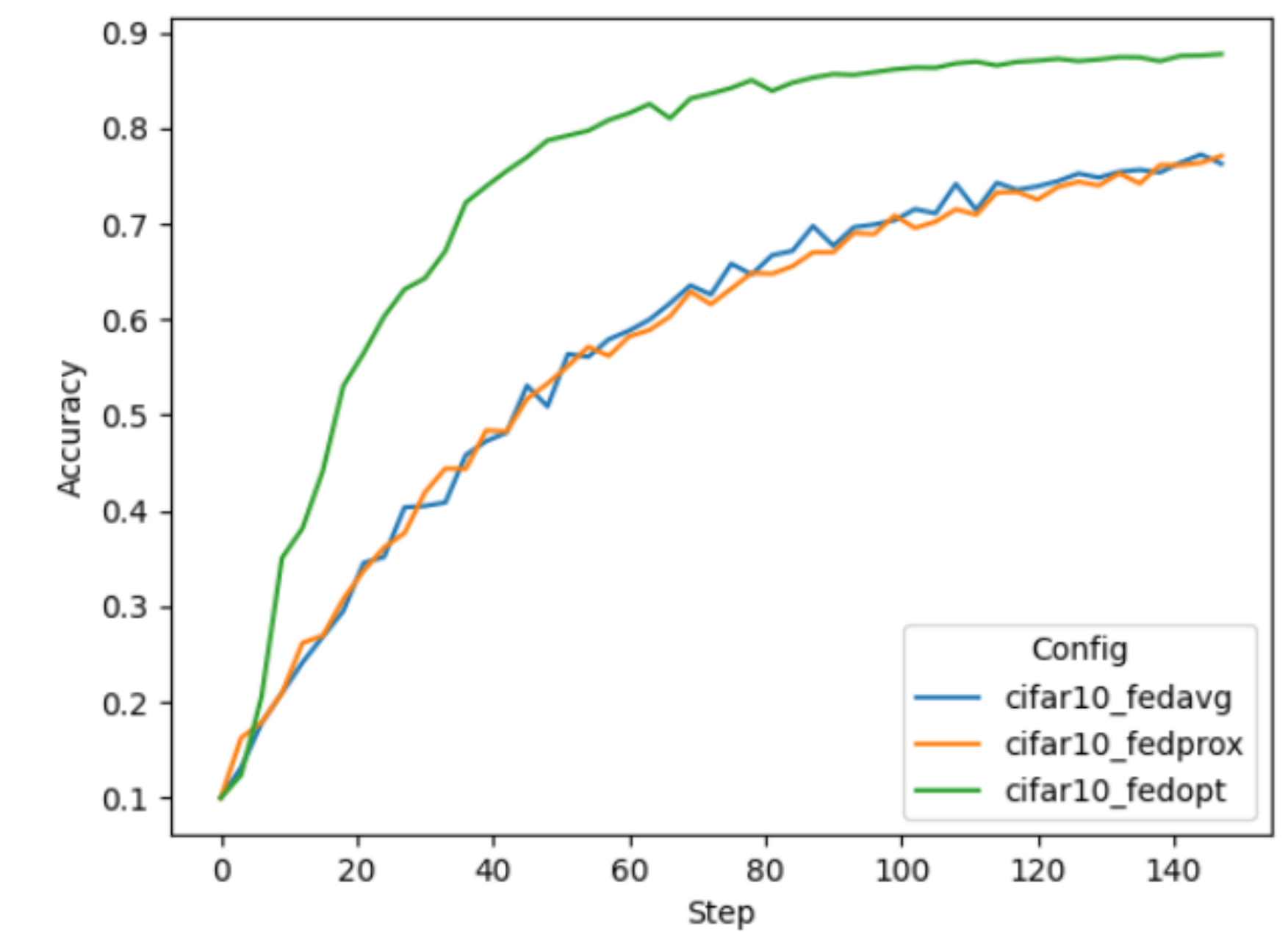
Config	Alpha	Val score
cifar10_fedavg	1.0	0.8840
cifar10_fedavg	0.5	0.8727
cifar10_fedavg	0.3	0.8264
cifar10_fedavg	0.1	0.7626



4.3 FedProx vs. FedOpt

Finally, we are comparing an α setting of 0.1, causing a high client data heterogeneity. FedProx and FedOpt both achieve a better performance compared to FedAvg convergence rate by utilizing SGD with momentum to update the global model on the amount of training steps.

Config	Alpha	Val score
cifar10_fedavg	0.1	0.7626
cifar10_fedprox	0.1	0.7709
cifar10_fedopt	0.1	0.7963



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Synthetic data: Inherent Anonymization

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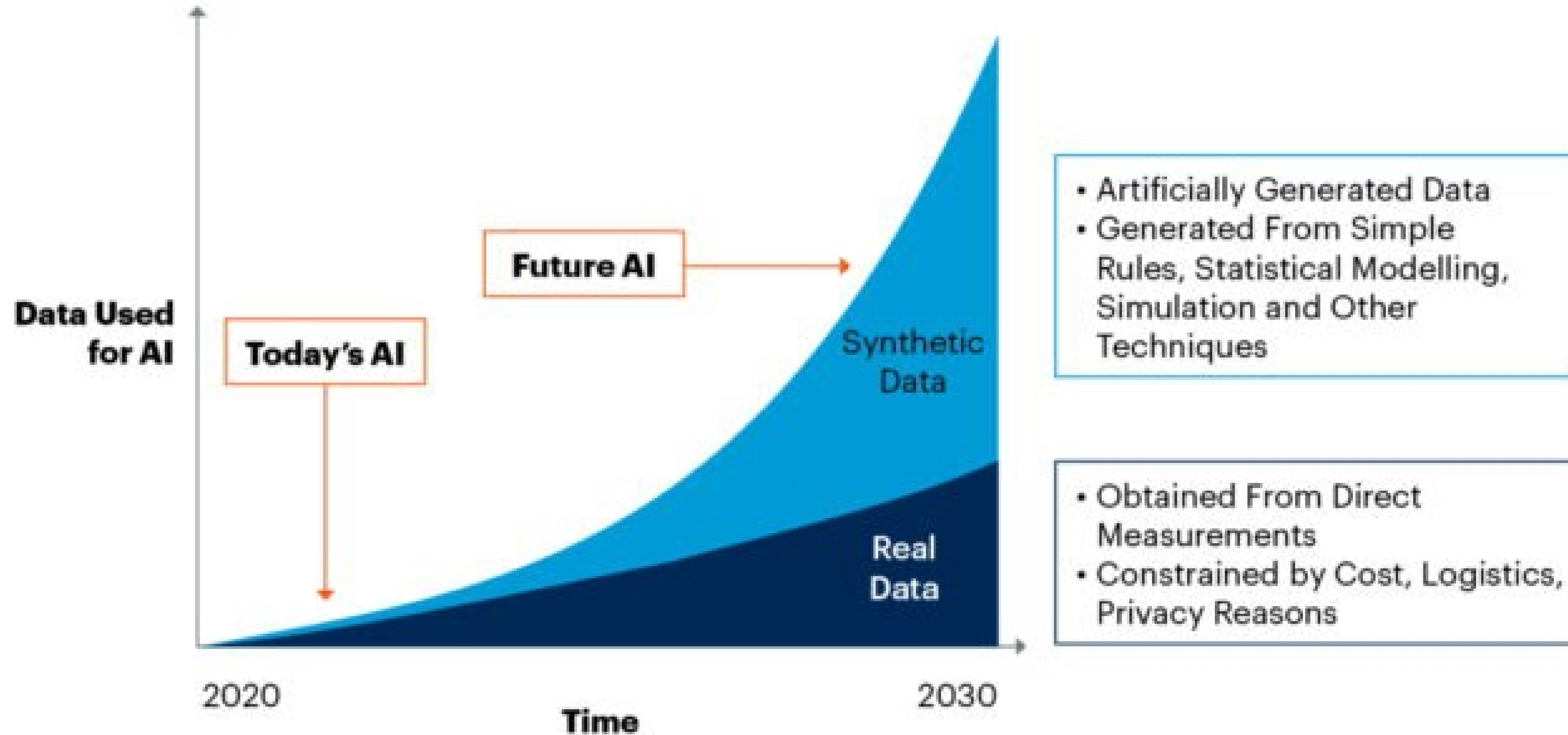
By 2030, synthetic data will completely overshadow real data in AI models.

Ramos & Subramanyam, Gartner Report 2021

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Rise of Synthetic Data

By 2030, Synthetic Data Will Completely Overshadow Real Data in AI Models



Source: Gartner
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Gartner

<https://blogs.nvidia.com/blog/2021/06/08/what-is-synthetic-data/>

Synthetic data potentials and risks

Potentials

- Fake patient records and fake medical imaging is truly non-identifiable: no relation to real individuals
- Protect patient privacy and augment clinical research
- “A single image that could cost \$6 from a labeling service can be artificially generated for six cents.” (Paul Walborsky, co-founder AI.Reverie, one of the first dedicated synthetic data services)
- Reducing bias by ensuring data diversity to represent the real world: Synthetic datasets are automatically labeled and can deliberately include rare but crucial corner cases

Risks

- Rise of companies monetising fake data and enabling cross-border data sharing beyond data protection legislation.
- No robust and objective methods of determining whether a synthetic dataset is sufficiently different from the original
- Example: Insurance companies buy and sell synthetic consumer data that is technically non-identifiable but retains all the properties of the original dataset required to adjust premiums for specific consumer groups.

Synthetic patient data in health care: a widening legal loophole

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Thomas Zerdick, Head of Technology and Privacy

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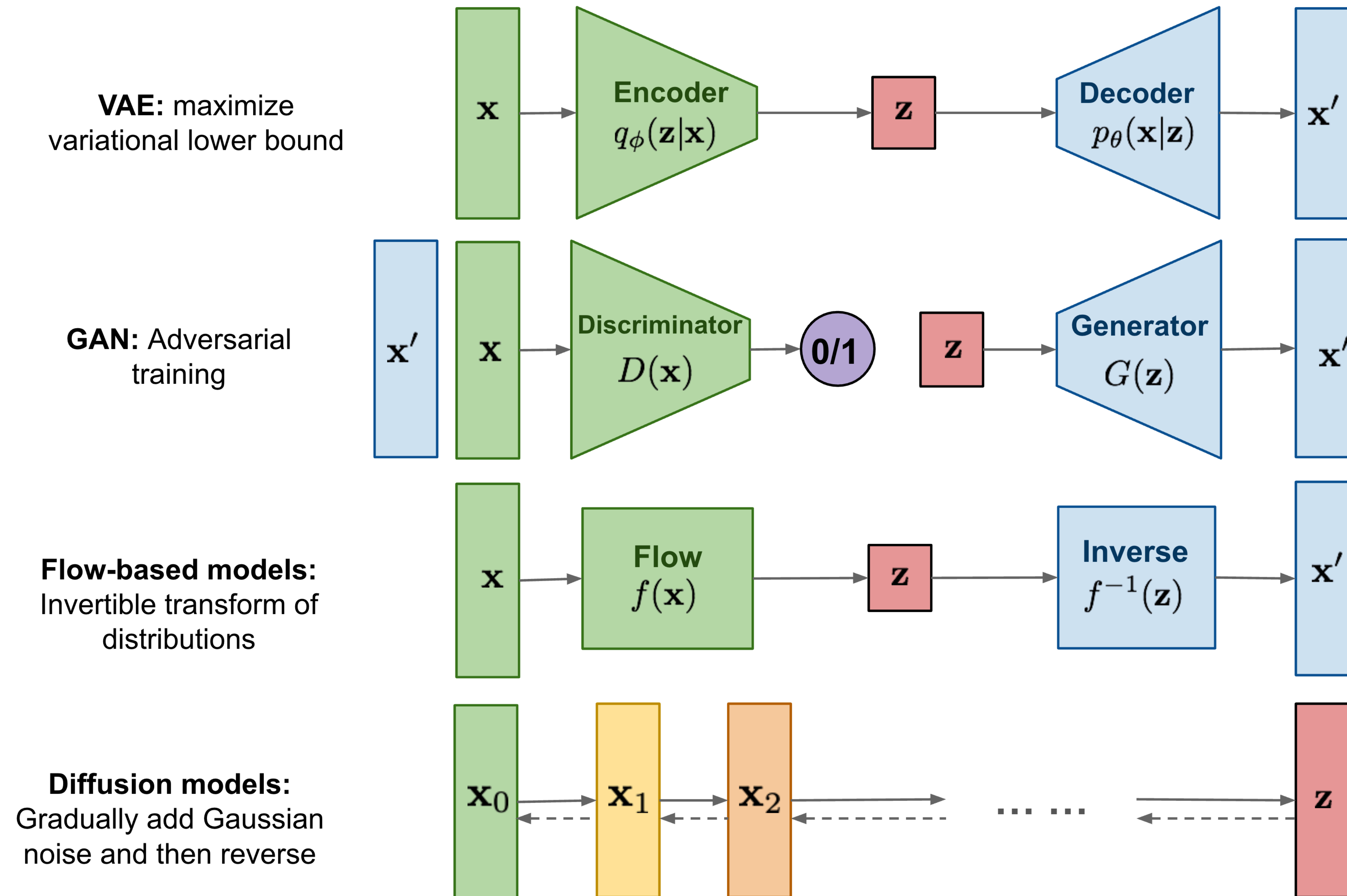
What Is Synthetic Data?

Synthetic data generated from computer simulations or algorithms provides an inexpensive alternative to real-world data that's increasingly used to create accurate AI models.

June 8, 2021 by GERARD ANDREWS

<https://blogs.nvidia.com/blog/2021/06/08/what-is-synthetic-data/>

Types of Deep Generative Models



Latest successes with Diffusion Models

A new paradigm: „Augmented Creativity“?



“An astronaut riding a horse in a photorealistic style.”

<https://openai.com/dall-e-2/>



“A brain riding a rocketship heading towards the moon.”

<https://imagen.research.google/>



“Beautiful dress design for new york fashion week, 8k render in octane.”

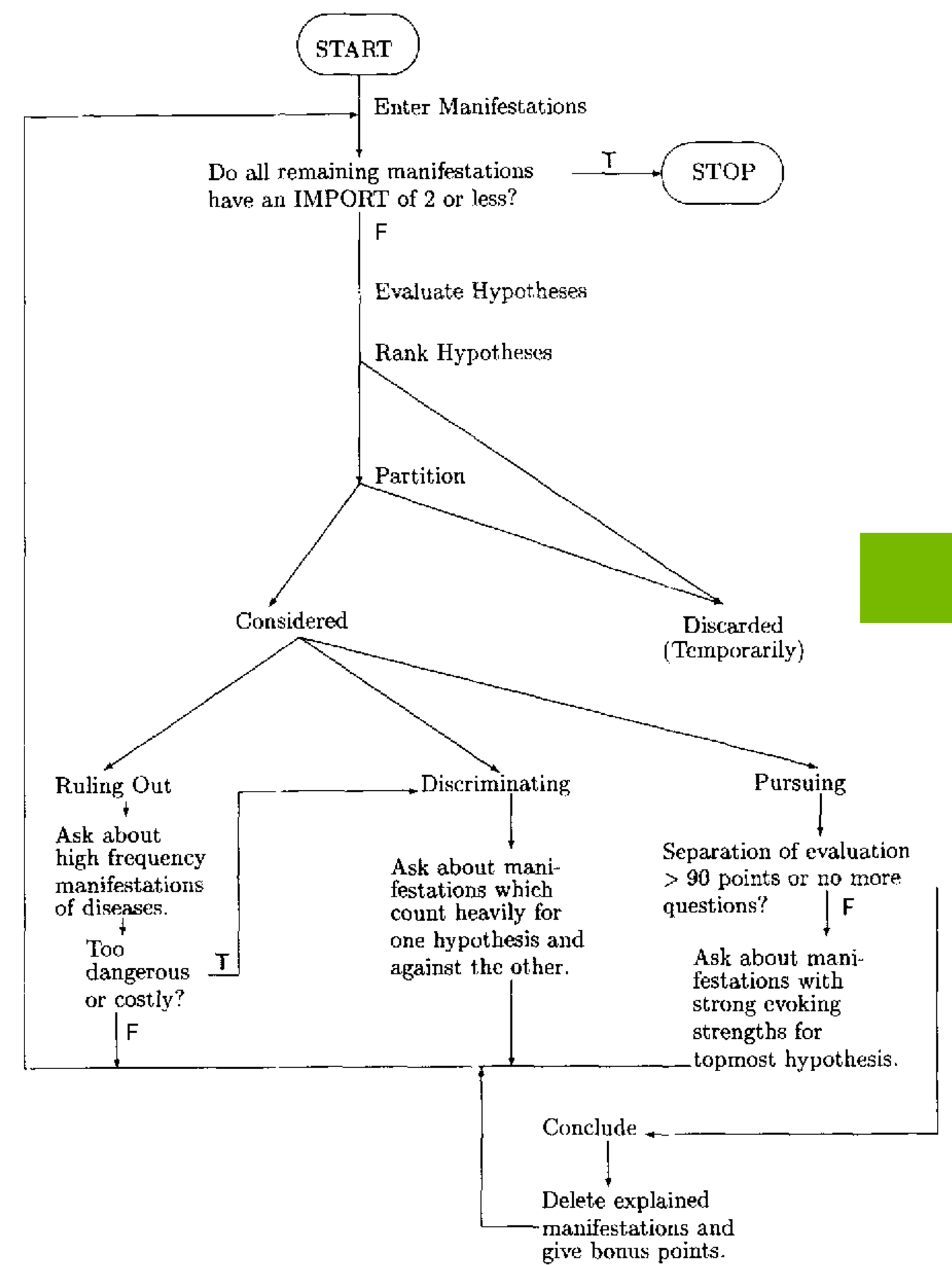
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Use Case: Synthetic Medical Cases



- Startup Curai trained a diagnostic model on 400,000 simulated medical cases
- Synthetic samples contained EHR data

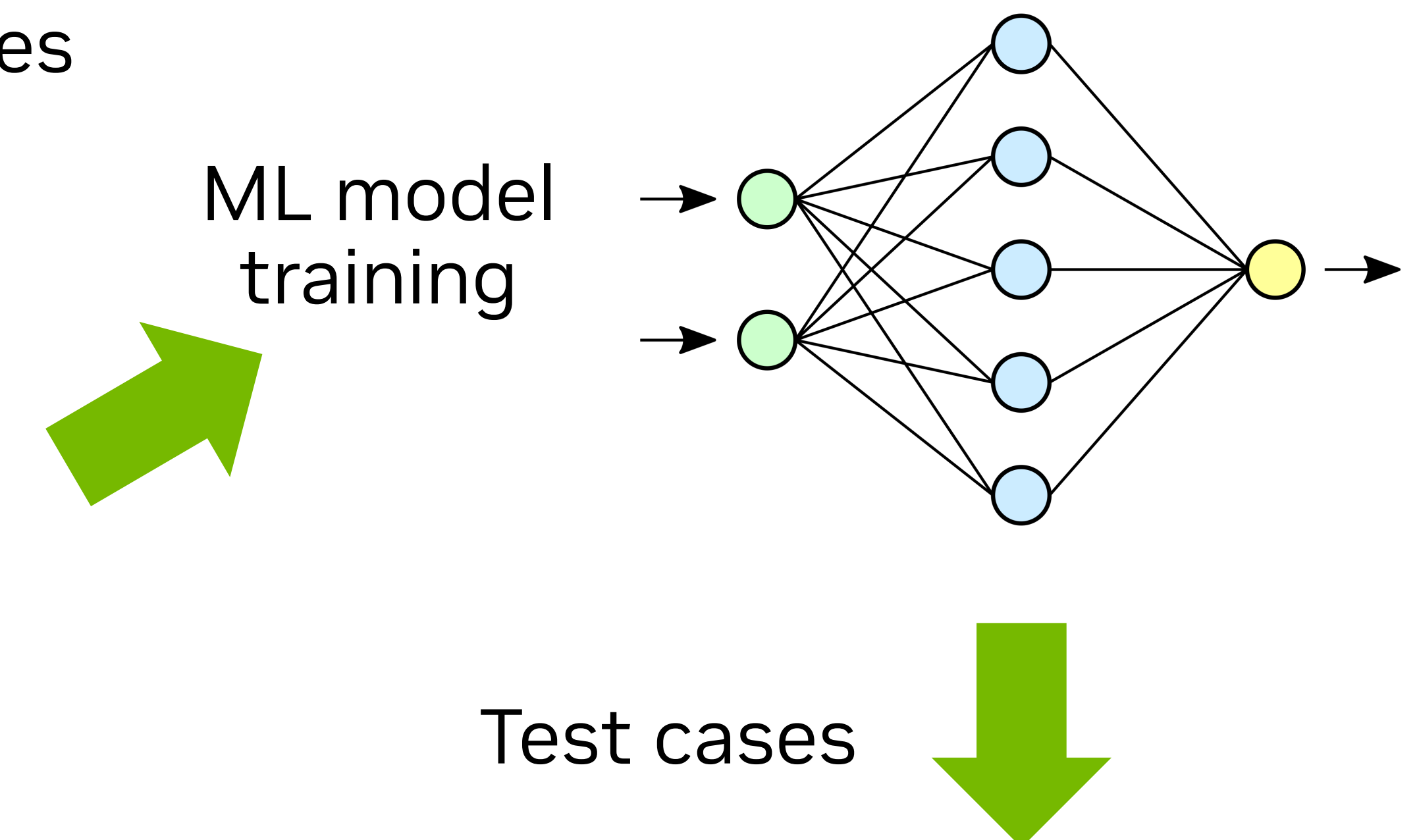


Hepatitis acute viral

- jaundice, abdomen pain exacerbation with food, abdomen pain epigastrium, hepatomegaly present, liver enlarged moderate, liver tender on palpation, abdomen pain present, joint pain mild or moderate, abdomen tenderness present
- anorexia, jaundice, abdomen pain epigastrium, hepatomegaly present, liver enlarged moderate, liver tender on palpation, feces light colored, hands palmar erythema, skin spider angiomas, abdomen pain acute, abdomen pain present, abdomen pain not colicky, vomiting recent, constipation, vomiting coffee grounds

Arthritis acute septic

- joint tenderness swelling redness, joint involvement polyarticular asymmetrical, hip pain unilateral or bilateral, joint pain severe, joint range of motion decreased, knee pain unilateral or bilateral, joint effusions single or multiple, onset abrupt, fever, joint exam abnormal
- tachycardia, joint exam abnormal, joint tenderness swelling redness, joint pain severe, joint range of motion decreased, knee pain unilateral or bilateral, joint effusions single or multiple, joint involvement monoarticular, onset abrupt, shoulder pain left, shoulder pain right



Test time inputs to model	Approach			
	Expert	Probabilistic	LR	DNN
symptom	0.33 (0.56)	0.43 (0.66)	0.15 (0.26)	0.32 (0.47)
history	0.36 (0.54)	0.48 (0.69)	0.12 (0.21)	0.38 (0.53)
history and symptom	0.48 (0.67)	0.62 (0.79)	0.46 (0.43)	0.54 (0.69)
sign	0.58 (0.79)	0.67 (0.85)	0.30 (0.66)	0.72 (0.88)
history and sign	0.65 (0.84)	0.77 (0.91)	0.59 (0.76)	0.86 (0.95)
sign and symptom	0.62 (0.82)	0.71 (0.88)	0.59 (0.79)	0.82 (0.95)
history, sign and symptom	0.71 (0.88)	0.82 (0.94)	0.73 (0.89)	0.92 (0.98)

INTERNIST-I computer-assisted diagnostic tool

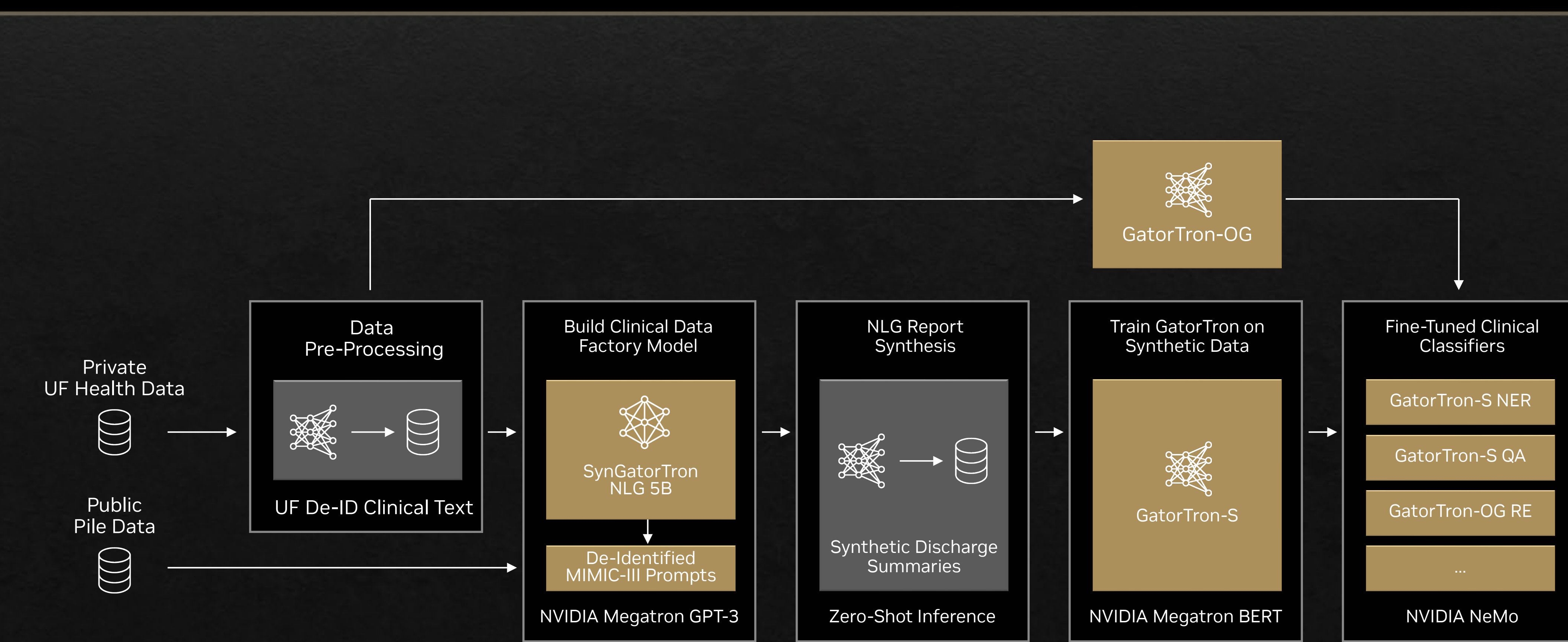
Simulating medical cases from an expert knowledge base

Use Case: NLP from Synthetic Clinical Text

University Florida and NVIDIA create World's largest clinical generative NLP models

SynGatorTron, GatorTron

- Clinical Language Generation Model SynGatorTron NLG 5B
- Used to generate synthetic, de-identified clinical notes and reports
- Trained GatorTron-S with synthetic data
- GatorTron-S achieves equivalent SOTA as original GatorTron-OG



	Results NER: Named Entity Recognition	Results RE: Relation Extraction	Results QA: Question Answering
Synthetic data:	Gatortron-S 0.8893	Gatortron-S 0.9601	Gatortron-S 72.75
Original data:	Gatortron-OG 0.8859	Gatortron-OG 0.9599	Gatortron-OG 71.81

Available on NGC:

https://catalog.ngc.nvidia.com/orgs/nvidia/teams/clara/models/gatortron_og

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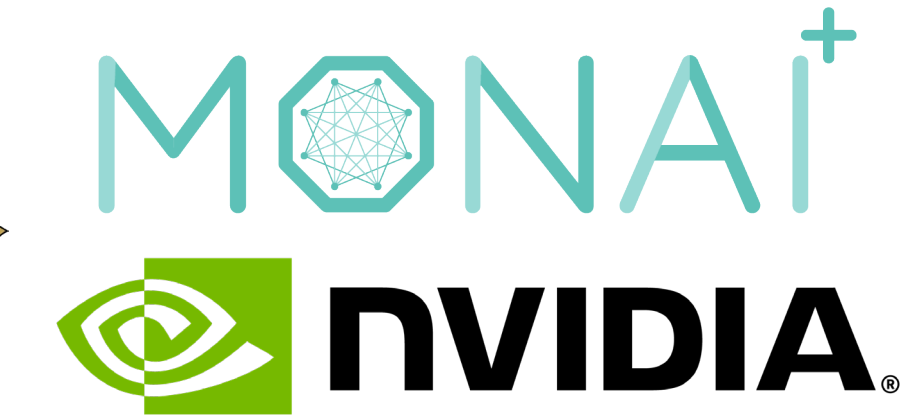
“With the help of large language model training technologies in NVIDIA Megatron, the University of Florida trained both 5B and 20B parameter clinical GPT-3 models. The 20B parameter model was trained in just 20 days on 70 DGX-A100 80GB nodes on their HiPerGator-AI SuperPOD system.

These models produce high fidelity, naturally de-identified clinical free text data for use in training downstream models without the risks of revealing protected health information or complexities of accessing and de-identifying hospital system electronic health records.”

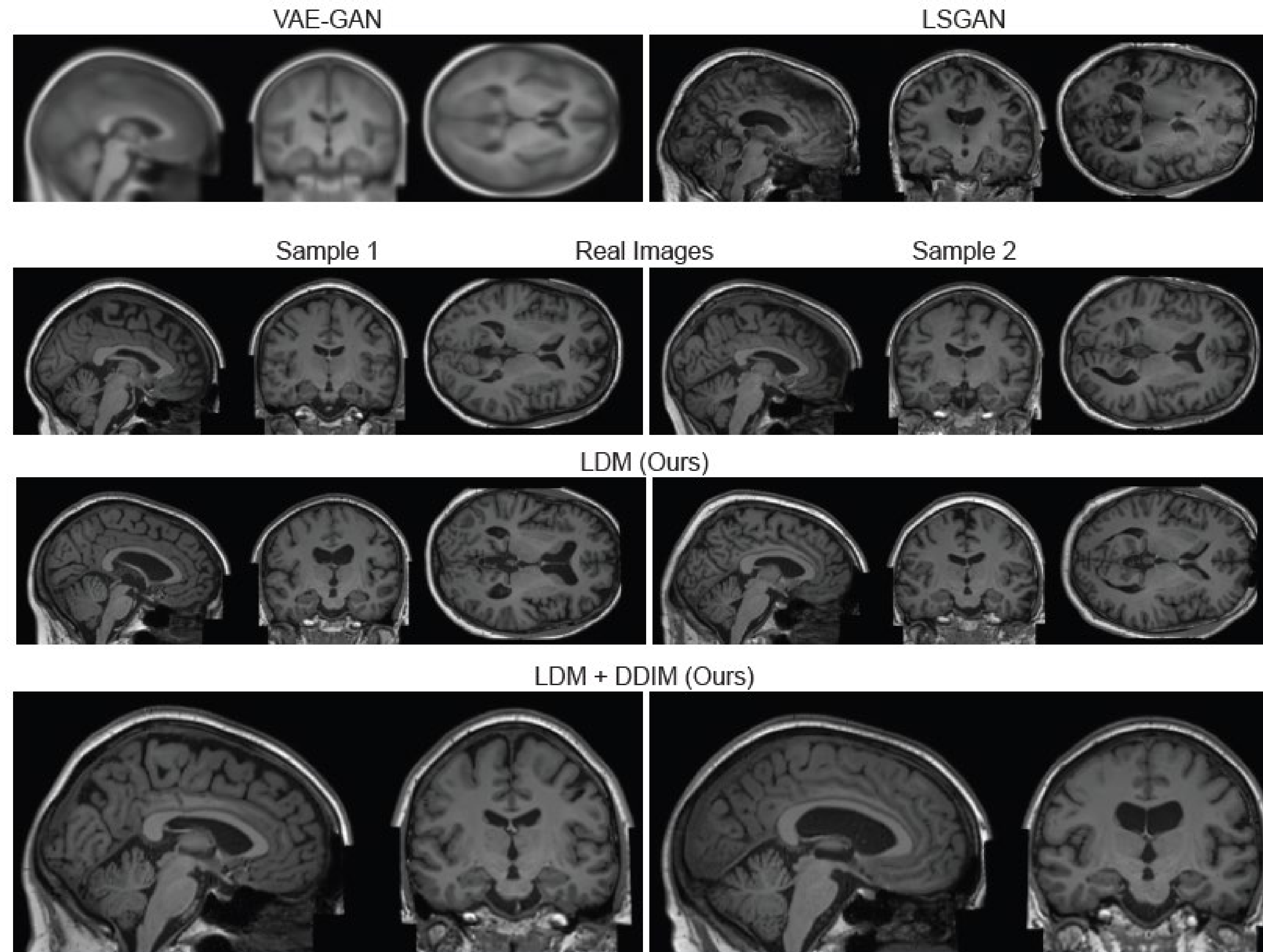
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Use Case: 100.000 Synthetic T1w-MRI Brain Scans

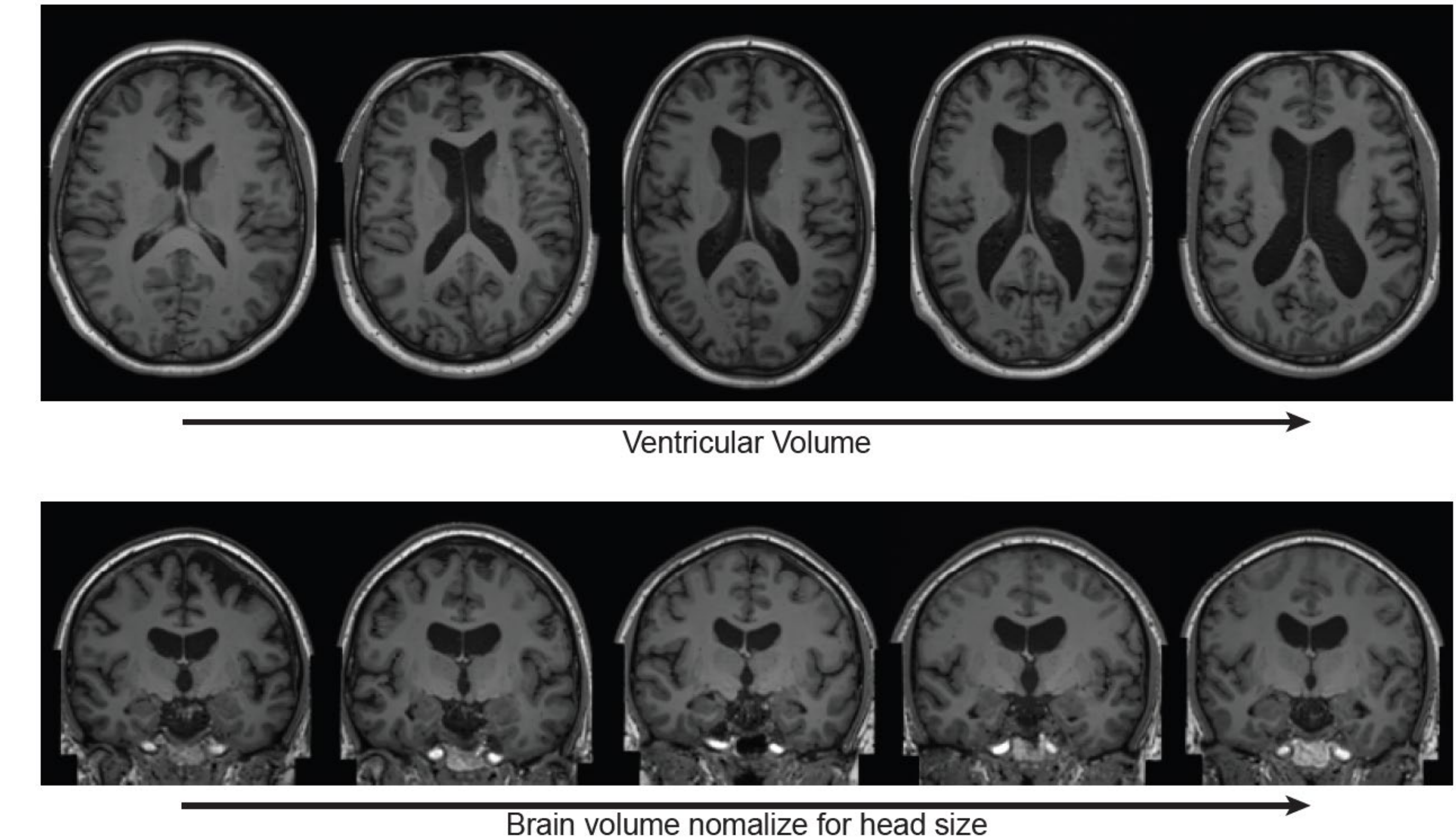
Generation with Conditional Latent Diffusion Models (LDM)



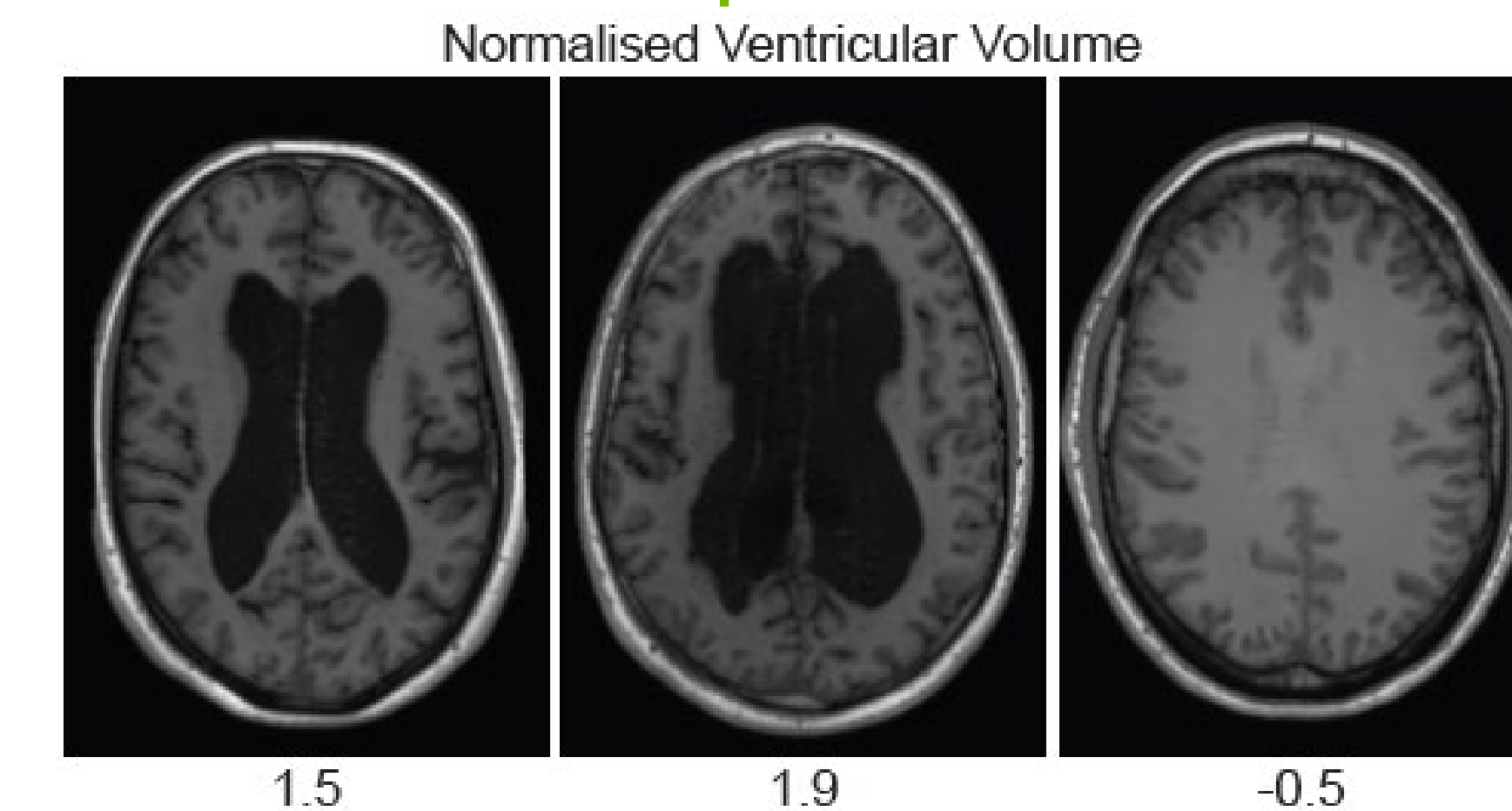
Generation



Conditioning



Extrapolation



Trained on NVIDIA Cambridge-1 UK's Fastest Supercomputer

1st Dedicated Industrial Supercomputer for Health

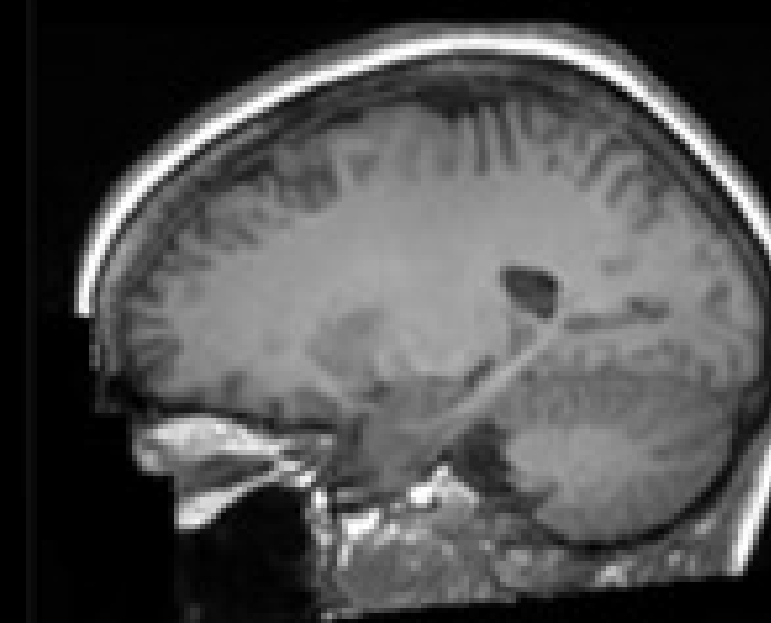
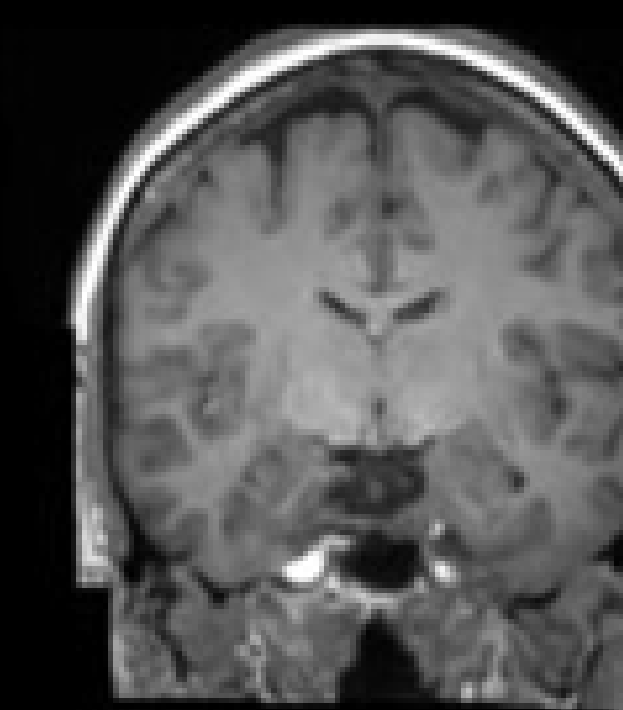
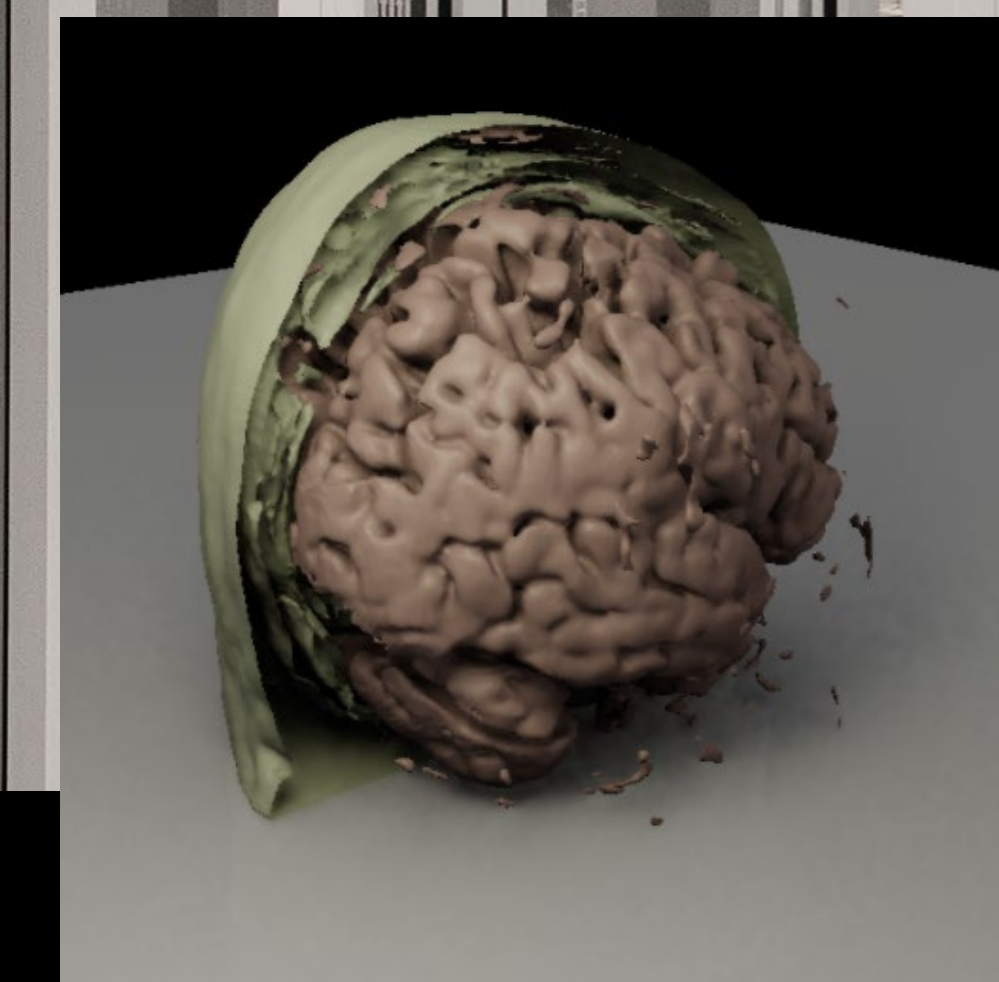
#42 on Top500 Supercomputers

100% Powered by Renewable Energy

80 DGX A100 Nodes

640 NVIDIA A100 Universal GPUs

400 Petaflops AI Compute



Synthetic Brain 3D Image Creation
NVIDIA + King's College London

The image shows a microscopic view of plant tissue, likely a stem or leaf cross-section, stained with a green dye. The tissue exhibits a complex, layered structure with numerous small, rectangular cells. The cells are arranged in a somewhat regular pattern, with some showing distinct cell walls and internal structures. The overall appearance is that of a highly organized, fibrous material. A solid green vertical bar is located on the left side of the image, partially overlapping the text.

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Towards robust AI in healthcare without jeopardizing patient privacy

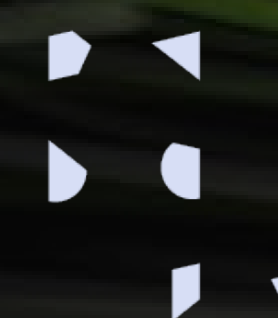
- **Modern machine and deep learning are data-hungry!**
 - Insufficient data can cause overfitting and therefore poor generalization to new/unseen cases
- **Data sharing under de-identification:**
 - Necessary to develop robust AI models, to reduce bias, and to improve data diversity (e.g. of minorities and of rare diseases)
 - Contra sharing: de-identification is always imperfect
 - Multiple sparse data sources can be combined to achieve patient re-identification ()
 - Modern ML algorithms exacerbate this weakness (e.g. face/voice/gait detectors)
 - For every engineered de-identification, a new re-identification method may pop up (e.g. brainprint)
 - Pro sharing:
 - Data sharing is a matter of contributing to the common good: “If I want to benefit from someone else’s data, I have a duty to also share my own.” (Nigam Shah, Stanford Institute for Human-Centered AI)
 - In practice, large-scale de-identification attacks have not been observed.
- **Federated Learning (FL):**
 - Share the model, not the data! Securely tapping into down data silos across institutions.
 - NVIDIA FLARE: Open-source FL SDK for fast-track entry into FL topics
- **Synthetic data with deep generative models:**
 - Inherent anonymity with steerable data diversity.
- **Democratization of AI:**
 - Open-source software frameworks improve accessibility, reproducible research and safety of algorithms!



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